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I should have  
done this a  
long time ago.



CLICK CLACK

This was  
inevitable.

There is no  
other way this  
could end.

I will always live  
with the fact that  
I was not strong  
enough to act on  
this until now...

This was  
always  
the end.

Always.







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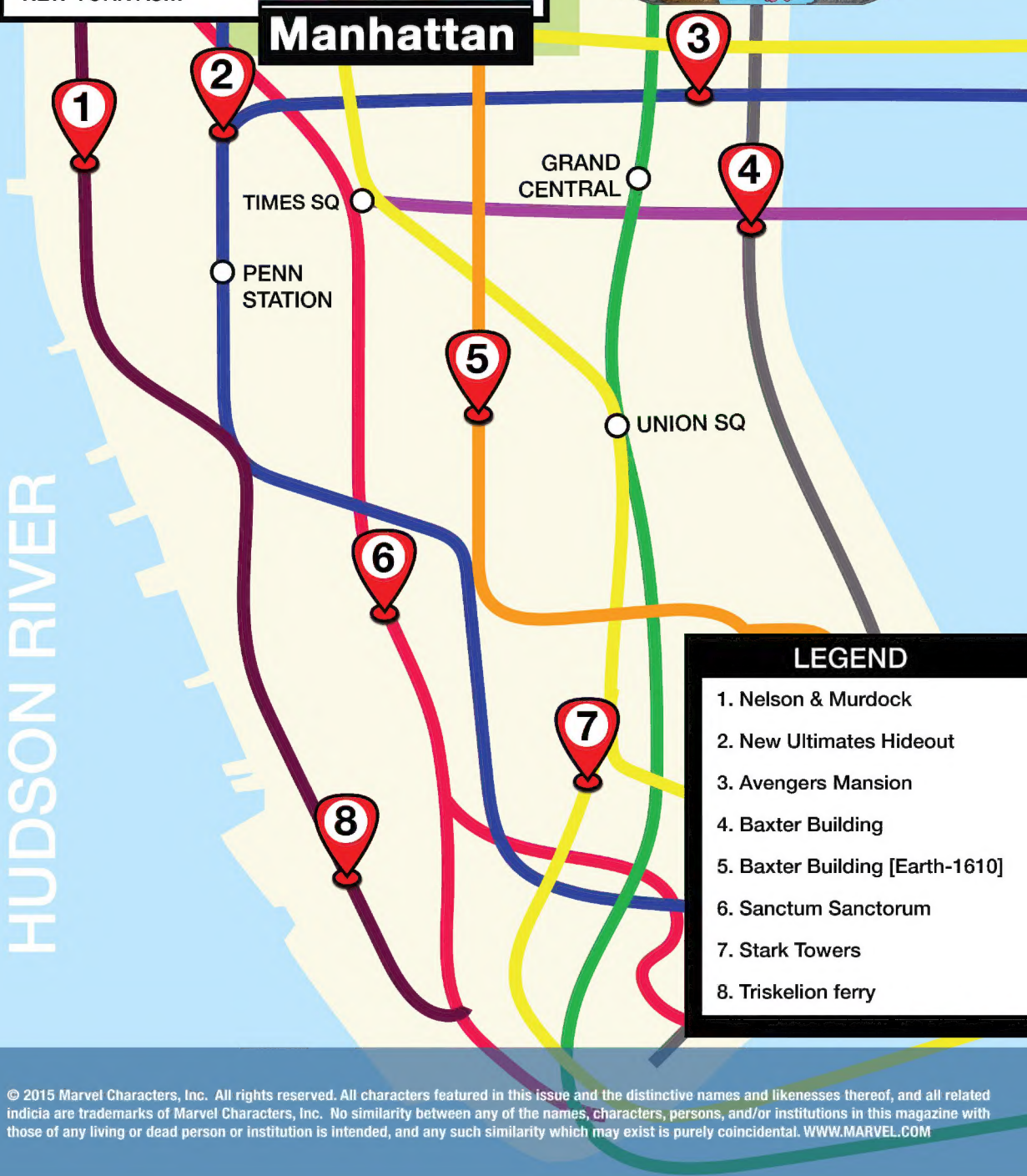
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Three Weeks Ago.

I USED TO LOVE THIS CITY.



I CAN'T BELIEVE I'M NOSTALGIC FOR THE DAYS WHEN THE SINISTER SIX WERE UP MY NOSE EVERY TEN MINUTES.



FABOOM?

SERIOUSLY?

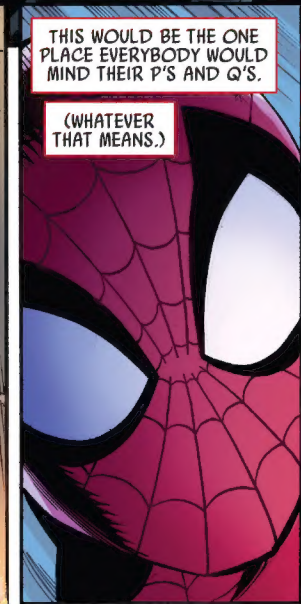
TODAY OF ALL DAYS WE GET A FABOOM?



HAS EVERYONE IN THIS PART OF THE WORLD LOST THEIR MINDS?

YOU WOULD THINK, I MEAN YOU REALLY WOULD THINK, THAT OF ALL THE PLACES IN THE WORLD THIS WOULD BE THE PLACE THAT EVERYBODY WOULD JUST...

...BE COOL.



THIS WOULD BE THE ONE PLACE EVERYBODY WOULD MIND THEIR P'S AND Q'S.

(WHATEVER THAT MEANS.)



UM...

HEY, UH, WHAT IS THIS EXACTLY?





What does it look like?

IT LOOKS LIKE A DREAM I HAD IN COLLEGE, LIKE, ALMOST EXACTLY.

IT WAS ABOUT THESE SERPENT SQUAD LADIES WHO BROKE INTO WHAT LOOKS LIKE A SECRET HYDRA SAFE HOUSE...AND STOLE A VALUABLE THING OF THEIRS?

That's pretty good actually.



AND YOU WERE THERE, AND YOU WERE THERE, AND YOU WERE TH--

Screw this putz.

Stick to the plan!



OOH! WHAT'S THE PLAN? I LOVE A GOOD-- YOW!

Hey, you need some help there, Big Time?



# ALL-NEW ULTIMATES

Because  
it kind of  
sorta looks  
like ya do.

**CLOAK  
AND  
DAGGER**

**BOMBHELL**

**JESSICA DREW  
BLACK  
WIDOW**

Oh, I'm not  
going back into  
the hole over  
these idiots.

Not  
happening!

Rude.

Uchh!

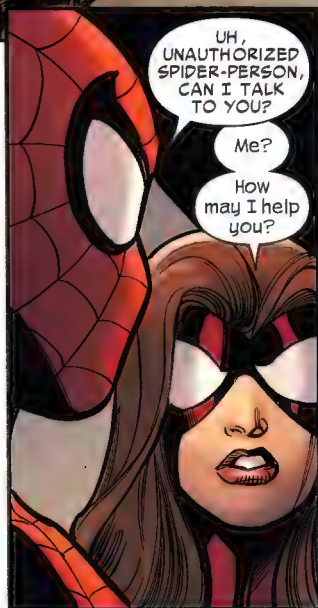
Everyone  
is filming,  
guys!

This is  
good.

Focus.

This will  
get us some  
points.









I'm not making it up.

LISTEN--



You're now going to say that if I was *really* a genetic clone of you, then I would know who you really are.

Your *real* name.

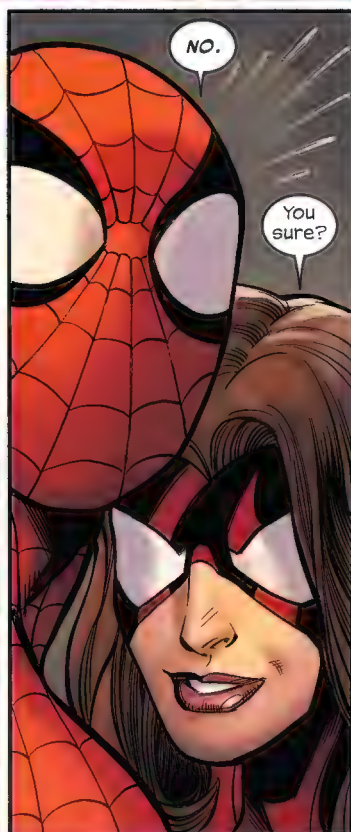
The name you used *before* you were bit by the spider.

YOU'RE SAYING YOU KNOW MY NAME...

Yes. We pretty much all do.

COME ON...

Do you want me to say it out loud?



NO.

You sure?



YOU--DO YOU AT LEAST *SEE* HOW THIS IS UPSETTING?

TO ME AT LEAST.

I think you better go to the thing you're supposed to be at.

YOU, UH, YOU GUYS COMING?

We weren't invited.



And we're *not* happy about it, if anybody asks.

It's like high school all over again.

And by "all over again" I mean from earlier this afternoon when I was *in* high school.

HEY, I DIDN'T SEND OUT THE INVITATIONS.



We know.

It still sucks.

They're making decisions for us and not even inviting us to vote.

I STILL WANT TO TALK ABOUT THIS OTHER THING...

You'd like to never see me again for as long as you live...

EITHER ONE OF THOSE THINGS.





IT'S A FAIR QUESTION...

WHY ARE YOU LEADING THIS MEETING, FURY?

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Because I called the meeting.  
You're in my house, Hawkeye.

And where I come from, that makes you a guest.

And where I come from, a guest shows some courtesy to his %&\*% host.

WHERE DID YOU COME FROM?

And frankly, Barton, I don't care if you stay or leave.

I BELIEVE I WAS JUST TOLD OFF.

SPANKED.



LET THE MAN SPEAK.

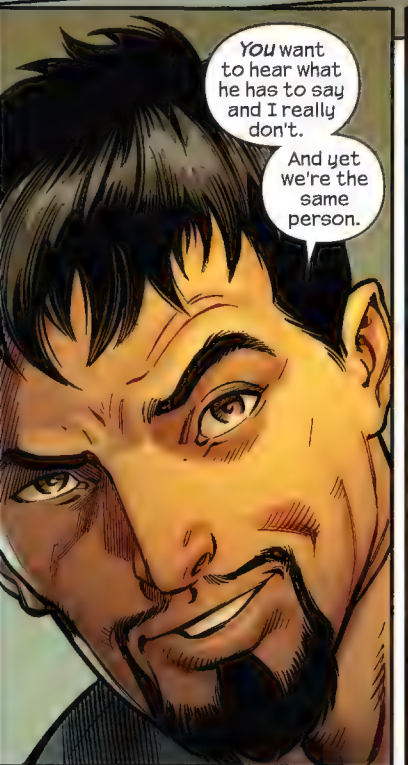
I WANT TO HEAR THIS.



See, *that* is interesting.



WHICH PART?



You want to hear what he has to say and I really don't.

And yet we're the same person.



NO.

WE'RE NOT.



Sure we are.

Tony Stark facial hair.



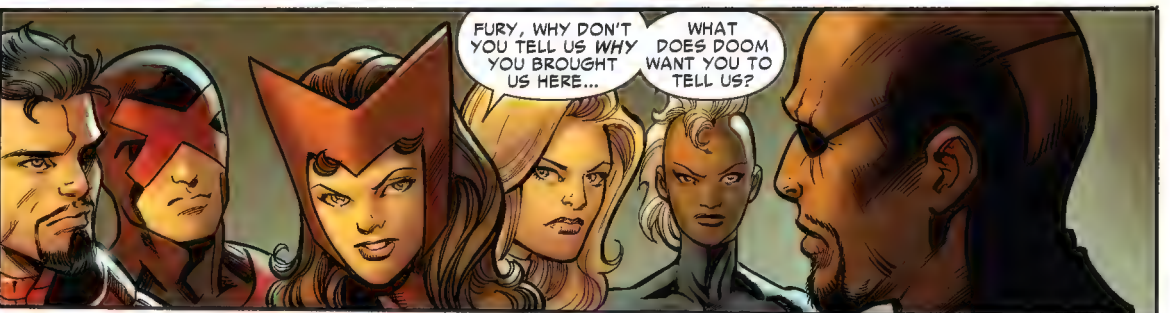
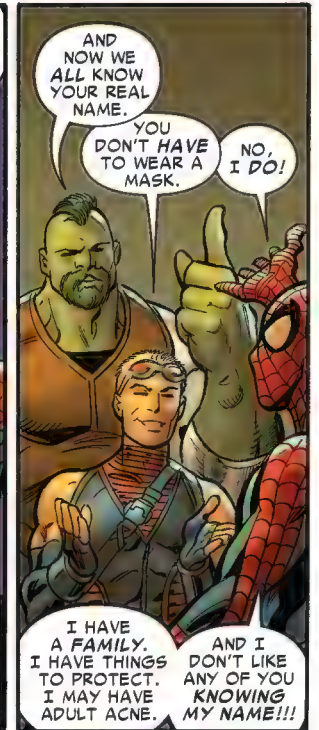
It's practically a trademark.

ONLY ONE OF US IS RESPONSIBLE FOR THIS MESS WE FIND OURSELVES IN.













That's not what this is, Maximoff.



THEN WHAT IS IT?

I think we need to put together a multidimensional brain trust that works on nothing but fixing this problem.

OKAY.

IS THAT WHAT DOOM TOLD YOU TO SAY?



Listen to me, Witch, we are *lucky* that whatever Stark did hasn't brought Doom's attention on us.

Lucky.

Because if I were him and I saw all this %&\*&# madness--

Stop!

Okay.

All kidding aside, *stop that!*

I did not do this!



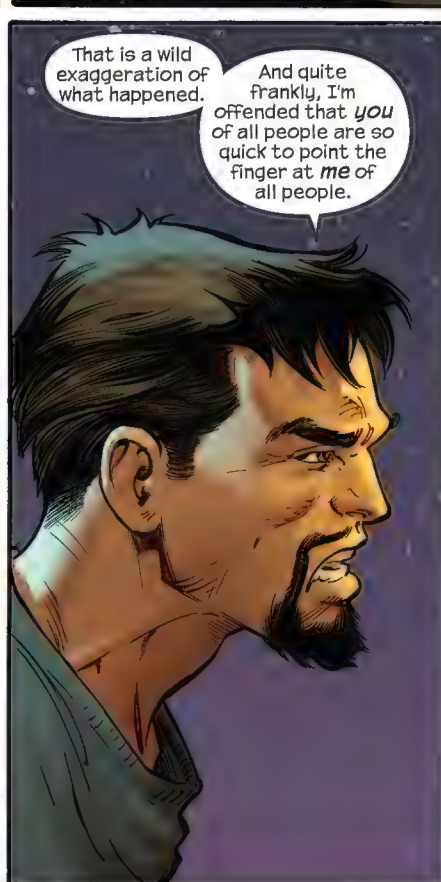
NO ONE'S KIDDING.



I am not going to be held responsible for a rip in the dimensions that I had no control over and had nothing to do with creating.

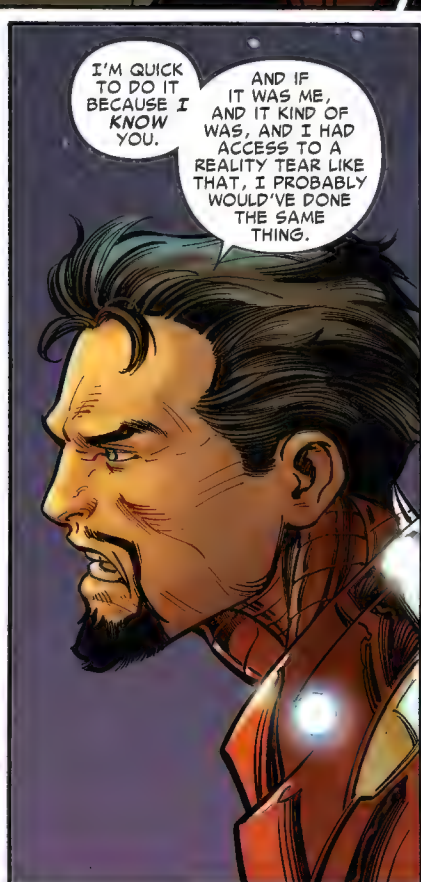


YOU FOUND A TEAR IN THE FABRIC OF SPACE AND TIME AND YOU POKED IT WITH A STICK UNTIL REALITY FOLDED ON TOP OF ITSELF!



That is a wild exaggeration of what happened.

And quite frankly, I'm offended that *you* of all people are so quick to point the finger at *me* of all people.



I'M QUICK TO DO IT BECAUSE I *KNOW* YOU.

AND IF IT WAS ME, AND IT KIND OF WAS, AND I HAD ACCESS TO A REALITY TEAR LIKE THAT, I PROBABLY WOULD'VE DONE THE SAME THING.



BUT THE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN THE TWO OF US IS THAT I HAVE GROWN TO A PLACE WHERE I CAN TAKE RESPONSIBILITY FOR MY ACTIONS.

AND YOU? HAVE ANOTHER DRINK.



That's not what happened.

WHAT HAPPENED?

EXACTLY?

We found a tear.

This is true.

"That is the door to another dimension."





One just like ours.

And *they* want to close it.

Can you *believe* that, Mister Stark?

They want to shut it.



I can believe it, kid.

Doctor Cho.

Kid Doctor Cho.

At this point, I can believe anything. The world is a mess.

The powers that be, whoever they be, just can't afford to keep experiments like this.



It's not an experiment!

It's a rip in reality. It is a door!

It proves so much about the fabric of all things.

This is more important than roads and food and--and--



I agree with you, kid.

I think I'm just going to buy it.

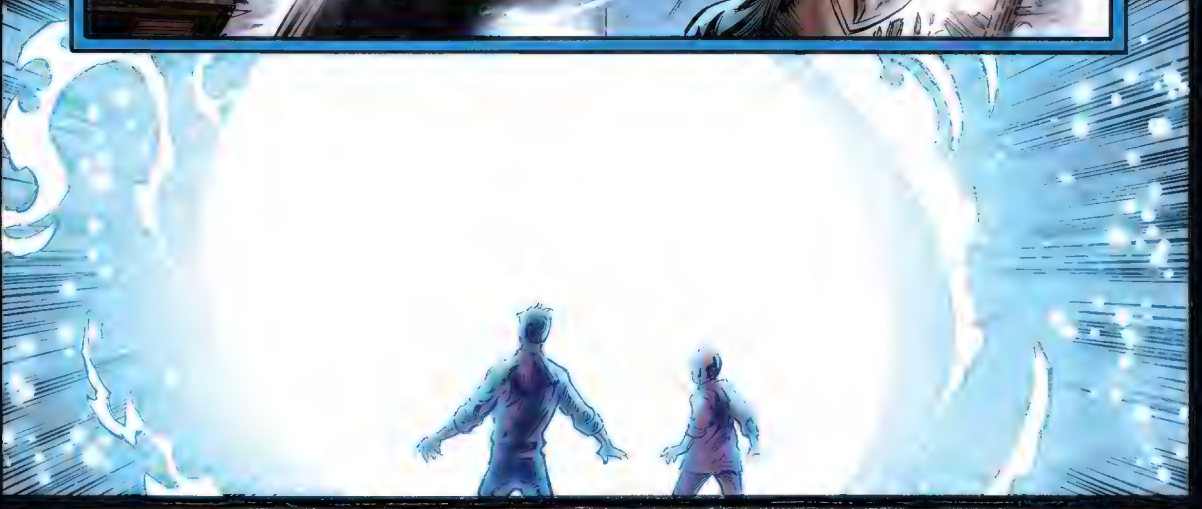
Buy it?

S.H.I.E.L.D. doesn't own it anymore because--



Um, is that normal?









Oh no.

Oh no no no.



If you think about it, it was inevitable.

All or most of us play fast and loose with time and space.



NO!



Screwing around with the laws of physics so we can be super heroes.

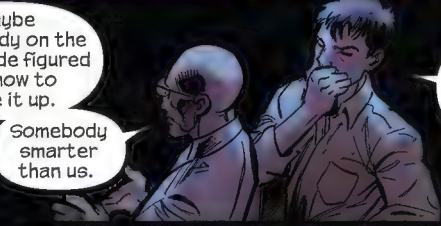
I mean, what did we think was going to happen?



Oh no!

Maybe somebody on the other side figured out how to close it up.

Somebody smarter than us.



Or...maybe something really bad just happened.



UM...

I WAS...

...ABOUT TO GO TO THE BATHROOM.

UM, ARE YOU ME? HAVE I OFFICIALLY LOST IT?

"So we can waste a lot of time pointing fingers..."





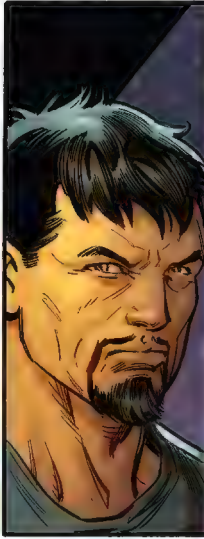
...or we can work together to get you people back to where you belong.

OR YOU PEOPLE BACK TO WHERE YOU BELONG...

HAVE WE CONSIDERED THE FACT THAT THERE MIGHT NOT BE ANYTHING TO GO BACK TO?

EXACTLY.

THIS MIGHT BE ALL THERE IS NOW.



THERE'S A LOT WE DO NOT KNOW YET.

I'VE BEEN RUNNING SOME VIRTUAL REALITY SIMULATION PROGRAMS THAT MAY EVENTUALLY HELP US FIGURE THIS OUT.

I WOULDN'T MIND SOME FRESH EYES ON THE PROJECT.



THANK YOU, DOCTOR BANNER...

THEN MEANWHILE, WE HAVE TO MAKE THE MOST OF IT.

LEARN TO WORK TOGETHER.

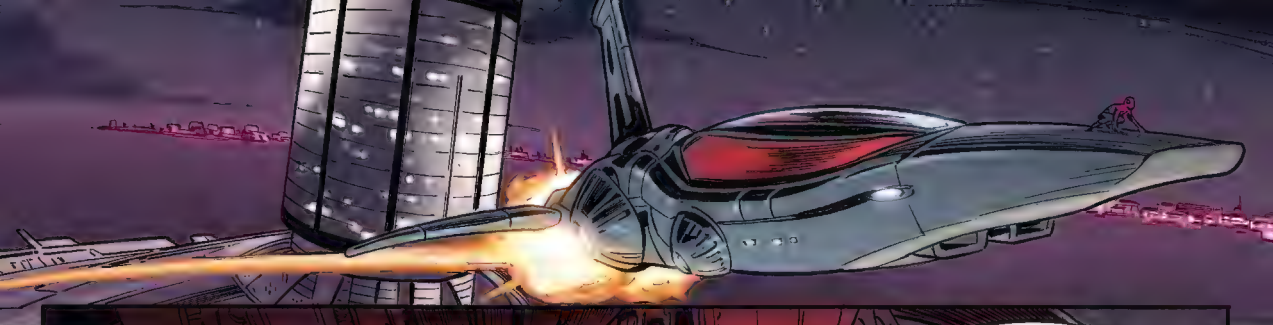
YEAH, BECAUSE THAT ALWAYS WORKED IN THE PAST.

At minimum, learn to trust each other.



BECAUSE WE HAVE TO.





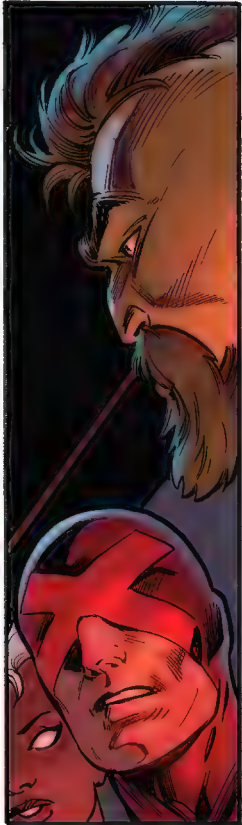
EMMA?

YOU WERE  
RIGHT.

THEY  
DON'T TRUST  
US.

WE'LL WORK  
ON DIMENSIONAL  
SOLUTIONS AND  
HELP KEEP THINGS  
CALM HERE.

HOPEFULLY  
COOLER HEADS  
WILL PREVAIL.



YES.  
I  
KNOW.

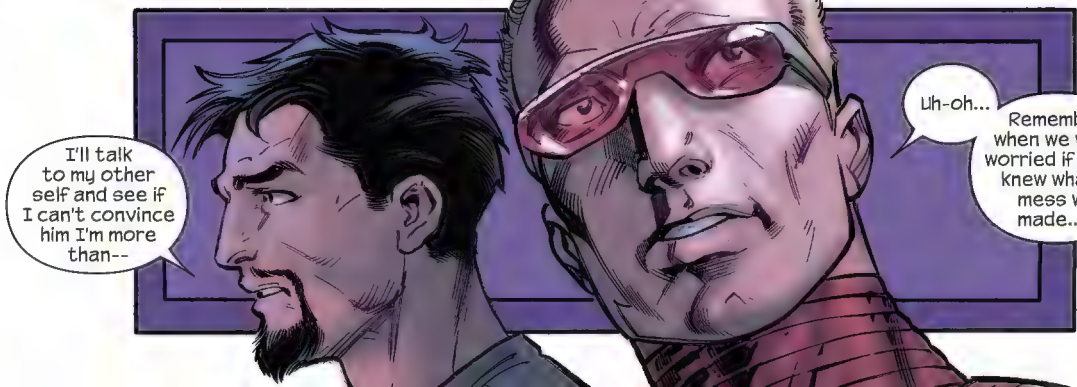
IF I AM  
THE VOICE OF  
REASON...HOW  
BAD MUST  
THINGS  
BE.



They  
don't trust  
us.

Why  
should  
they?

We'll work  
on dimensional  
solutions and  
help keep things  
calm here.



I'll talk  
to my other  
self and see if  
I can't convince  
him I'm more  
than--

Uh-oh...

Remember  
when we were  
worried if Doom  
knew what a  
mess we  
made...?





"I think  
Doom  
knows."

To Be Continued...



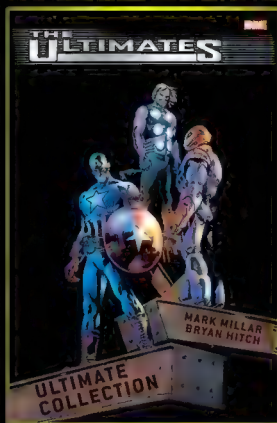
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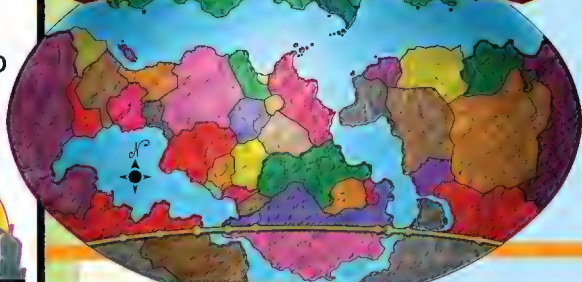
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UNBEKNOWNST TO THE POPULACE OR HEROES OF THE WORLD, VICTOR VON DOOM HAS  
FINALLY CONQUERED ALL OF REALITY. HE HAS TAKEN CONTROL OF THE WORLD AND CREATED  
POCKETS OF CONTROLLED CHAOS THAT ALL FALL UNDER HIS PURVIEW.  
ALL THEY KNOW IS THE REALITY DOOM HAS CREATED FOR THEM.  
BUT MANHATTAN IS IN A REAL PREDICAMENT. TWO DIFFERENT UNIVERSES ARE EXISTING IN  
THE SAME PLACE. HEROES FROM TWO DIFFERENT DIMENSIONS ARE RUNNING AROUND THE  
CITY AT THE SAME TIME. SOME THAT ARE VERY SIMILAR TO EACH OTHER AND  
OTHERS THAT ARE WILDLY DIFFERENT.

THE HEROES OF BOTH UNIVERSES ARE TRYING TO FIGURE OUT HOW TO  
UNDO THE DAMAGE AND COEXIST.

BUT DOOM'S ROYAL GUARD, THE THORS, HAVE COME TO INTERVENE.

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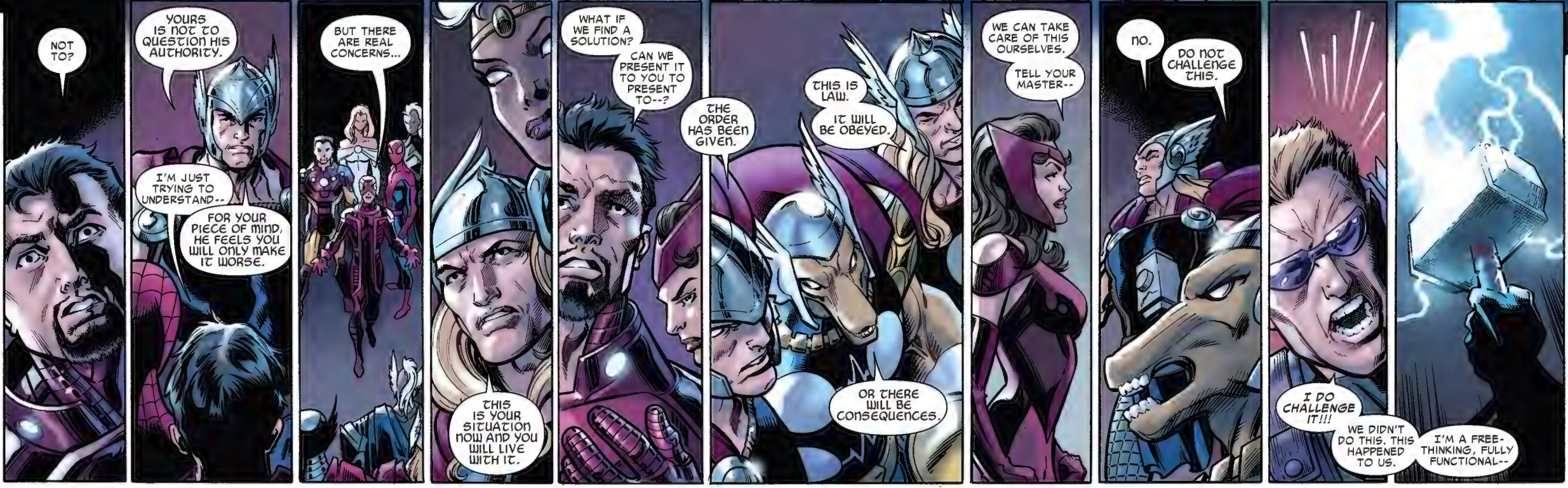
HELLO, THORS, UM, HOW CAN WE HELP YOU?

LORD DOOM WANTS TO MAKE IT CLEAR TO ALL OF YOU THAT HE IS AWARE OF THE DIMENSIONAL TRAVESTY YOU HAVE MADE OF YOUR HOME.

IT ISN'T SO MUCH A "WE" AS IT IS A--

HE IS AWARE OF THE DIMENSIONAL RIFT THAT HAS CAUSED CHAOS IN THIS PART OF HIS WORLD.

HIS ORDER IS NOT TO TOUCH IT. DO NOT TO ATTEMPT TO FIX IT.



NOT TO?

YOURS IS NOT TO QUESTION HIS AUTHORITY.

I'M JUST TRYING TO UNDERSTAND--

FOR YOUR PIECE OF MIND, HE FEELS YOU WILL ONLY MAKE IT WORSE.

BUT THERE ARE REAL CONCERNS...

WHAT IF WE FIND A SOLUTION?

CAN WE PRESENT IT TO YOU TO PRESENT TO--?

THE ORDER HAS BEEN GIVEN.

THIS IS LAW. IT WILL BE OBEYED.

OR THERE WILL BE CONSEQUENCES.

WE CAN TAKE CARE OF THIS OURSELVES. TELL YOUR MASTER--

no.

DO NOT CHALLENGE THIS.

I DO CHALLENGE IT!!!

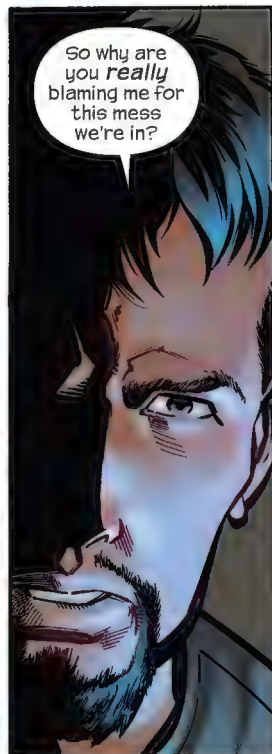
WE DIDN'T DO THIS. THIS HAPPENED TO US.

I'M A FREE-THINKING, FULLY FUNCTIONAL--













IF WE'RE THE SAME PERSON YOU KNOW WHY.

Because deep down you're really mad that we, as futurists, didn't see any of this coming.



NO, BECAUSE AS FUTURISTS WE DID SEE THIS COMING.

**THIS! OTHER THINGS!**

SO MANY OTHER POSSIBILITIES.

ALL OF THEM NIGHTMARISH.

ALL OF THEM SOMETHING WE COULDN'T DO ANYTHING TO STOP!



We can't hold ourselves responsible for everything.

SURE WE CAN.

Well, you can.

It's not healthy...



WHAT'S THE POINT OF BEING A FUTU-- WILL YOU PUT THE FLASK DOWN?!



Why?



BECAUSE IT'S BOTHERING ME THAT YOU STILL DRINK.

What difference does it make now?



Either Lord Doom is going to wipe our part of the world away and start anew...

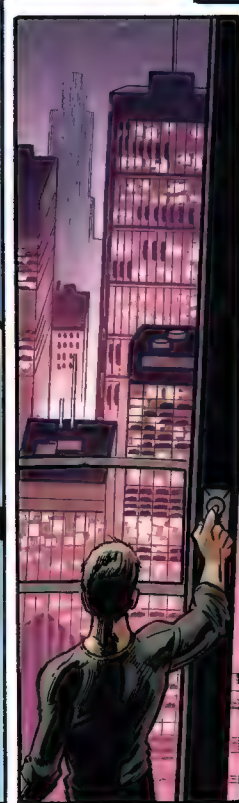
(As we both know he has done before.)

...or all of us counterparts are going to rip each other's faces apart.

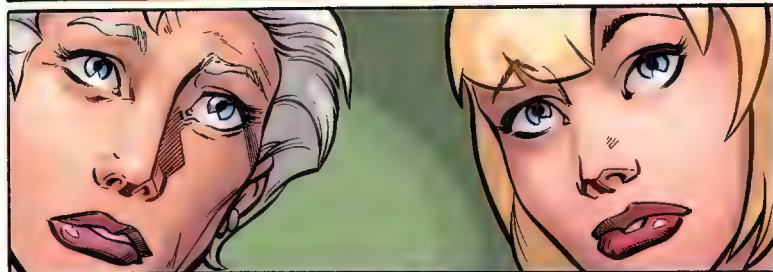
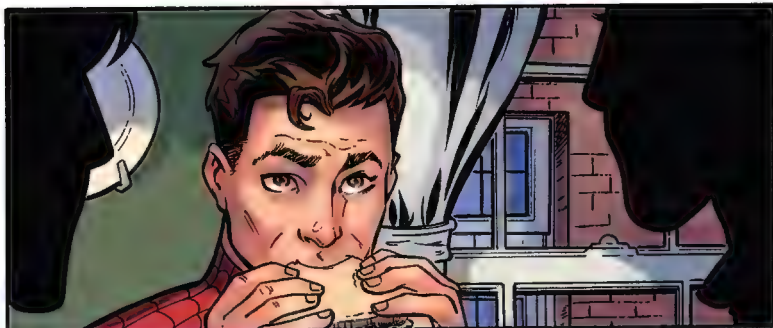
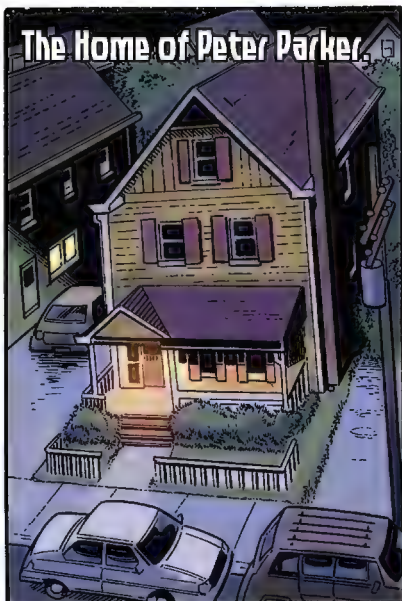
Either way.... my sobriety is hardly necessary.















I'm glad you finally came to see us, Peter.

I DIDN'T NOT WANT TO SEE YOU.

I WAS JUST HOPING THIS WEIRD DIMENSIONAL WEIRDNESS WOULD ALL GO BACK TO NORMAL AND--

You thought you could just avoid it.

UH, KIND OF...



Men.

I DIDN'T WANT TO HURT ANYONE'S FEELINGS.

YOU-- YOU'VE BEEN THROUGH SO MUCH WITH YOUR PETER DYING AND ALL.



We've had closure.

And you're older.

Not so much older.

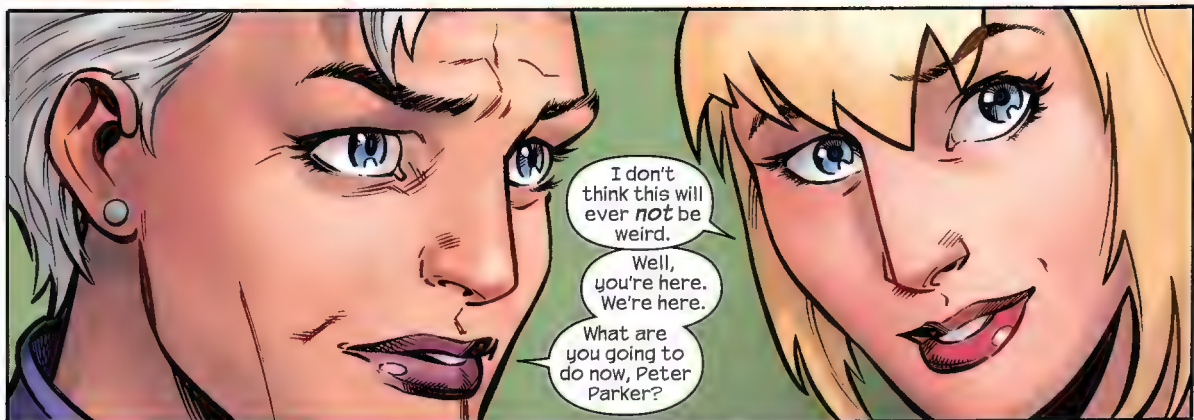
(Around the eyes.)



AND GWEN, YOU'RE SO MUCH YOUNGER.

AND YOU, AUNT MAY, YOU ARE SO MUCH YOUNGER.

IT'S SO WEIRD.



I don't think this will ever *not* be weird.

Well, you're here. We're here.

What are you going to do now, Peter Parker?



"Listen, we have a problem here."

"You ever hear the term 'tipping point'? We're at that point!"

## The Raft, Ryker's Maximum, Maximum Security Installation.

"We have too many prisoners."

"We have too many powered prisoners."

"I am the warden and I am telling you, we are not equipped for this."

"No one is answering my calls for help."

"We need to--just listen to me."

"The big bad Punisher..."

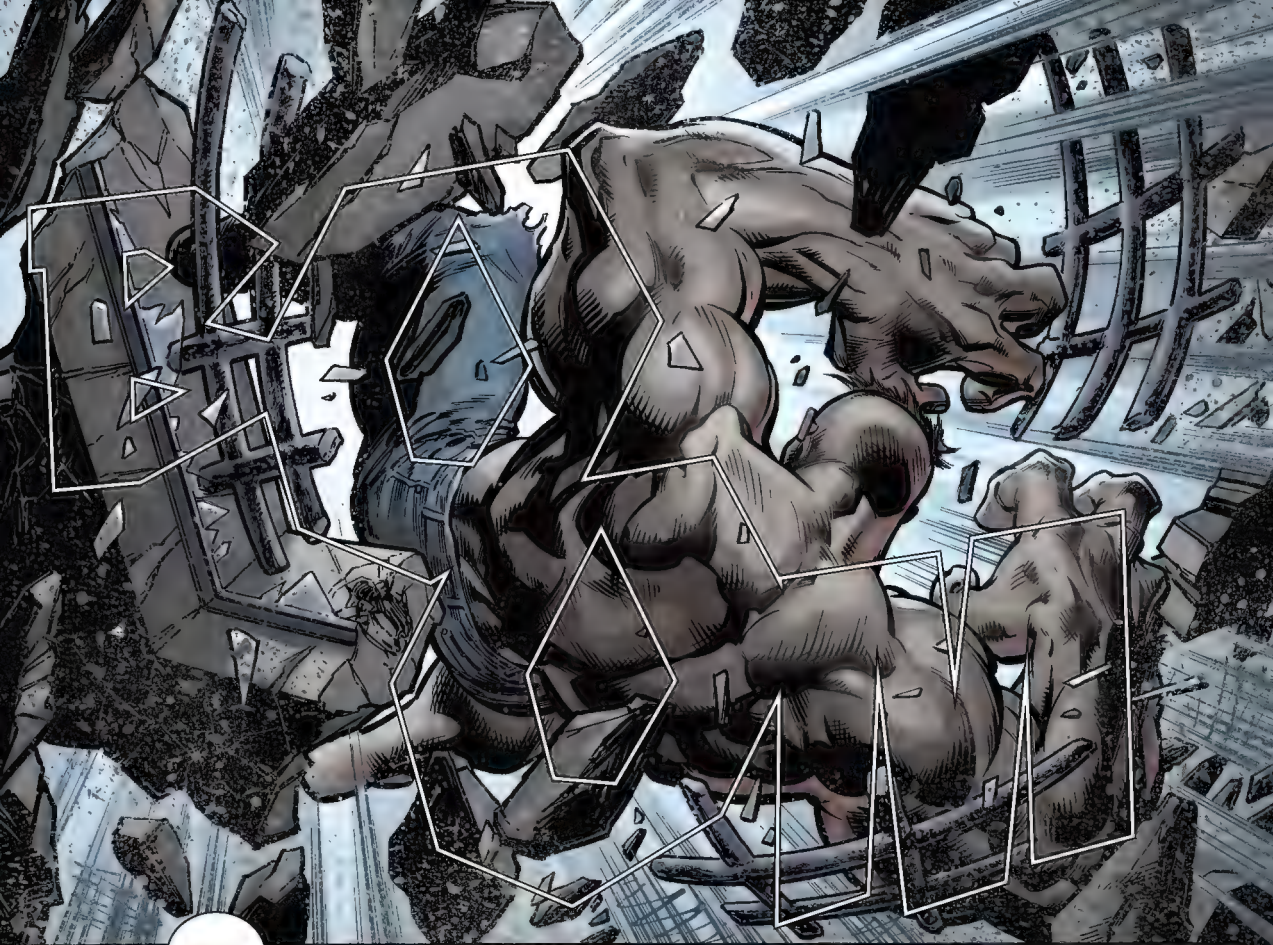
"Sitting here in the cses just like the rest of us..."

"And I can't be held responsible for what happens next."

"Thinking he is better than us...so funny..."

"We're one major incident away from total chaos."













Holy  
#s@%&!!

It's the  
Hulk!

IT'S  
THE WHOLE  
HULK!

BUDDABUDDABUDDABUDDABUDDABUDDABUDDA

BUDDABUDDABUDDABUDDABUDDABUDDABUDDA

Aaggh!

Somebody call  
SOMEBODY!

BUDDABUDDABUDDABUDDABUDDABUDDABUDDA

"UH, WE HAVE  
A SITUATION..."

"I see it, how  
did it happen?!"



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THE HULK  
JUST SMASHED  
INTO RYKER'S,  
COLONEL FURY.

LITERALLY.

Which  
Hulk, Director  
Hill?

WHAT  
DOES IT  
MATTER?

Well, some  
Hulks are  
smarter than  
others...

THE  
GRAY  
ONE, WE  
THINK.

THAT'S FROM  
YOUR PART OF  
THE WORLD.



"Gray one's  
a bit of  
trouble."

"Now, did he  
smash into it or  
crash into it?"

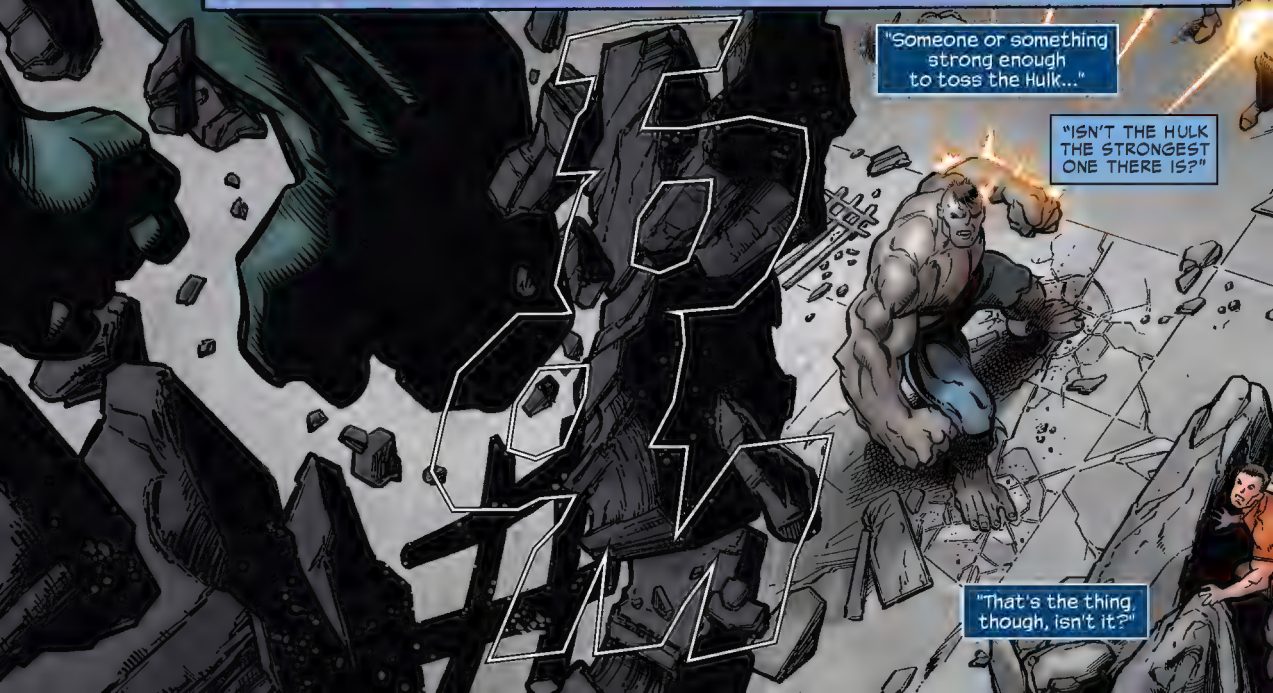
"AGAIN, WHAT  
POSSIBLE  
DIFFERENCE  
DOES IT MAKE?"



Because if  
he smashed into  
it, he did it on  
purpose...

...but if he  
crashed into it,  
it means he was  
either pushed,  
punched, or  
thrown.

That means  
there's someone  
or something else out  
there we have to  
worry about more  
than the Hulk.



"Someone or something  
strong enough  
to toss the Hulk..."

"ISN'T THE HULK  
THE STRONGEST  
ONE THERE IS?"

"That's the thing,  
though, isn't it?"

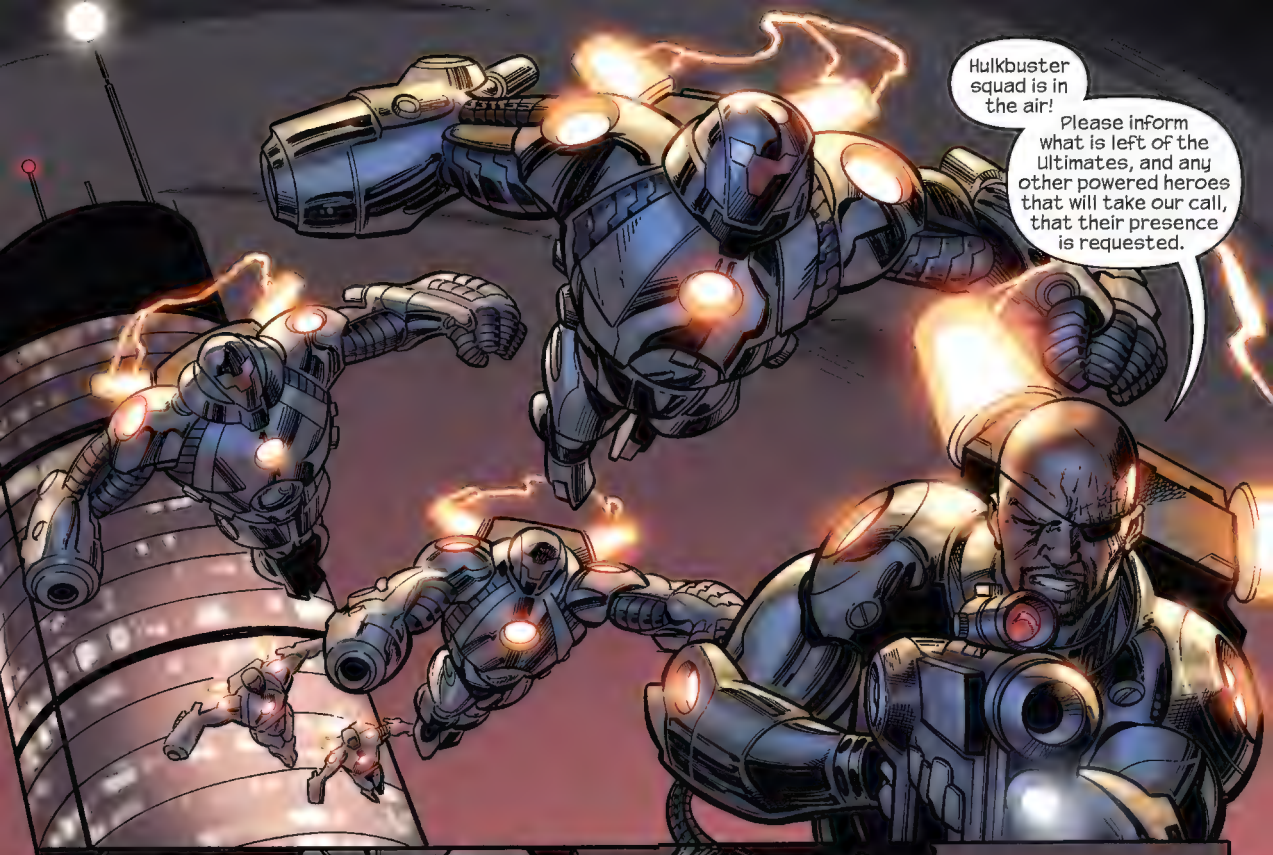




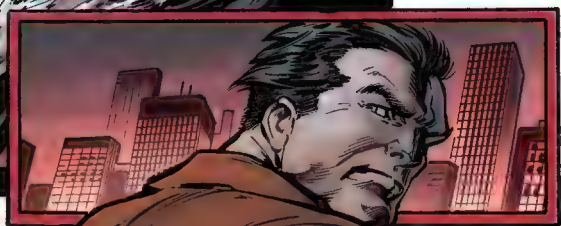
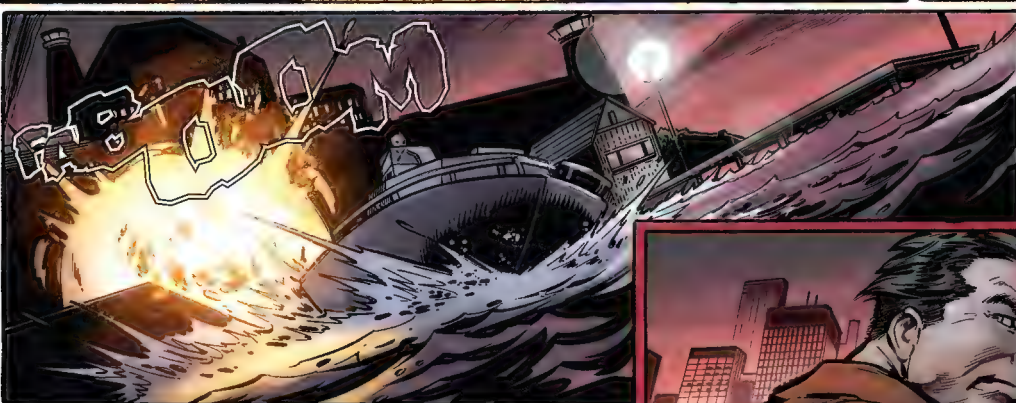
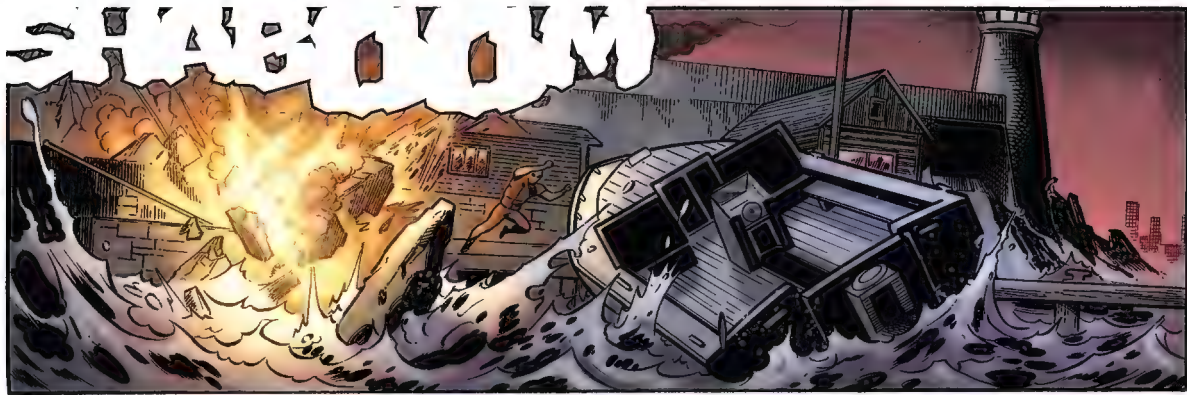
"That's not necessarily true anymore."

















# ULTIMATE END

NEXT: CATCH THESE HANDS

ISSUE  
#3



ULTIMATE GREATEST HITS





# BATTLEWORLD

## ULTIMATE END

ISSUE

# 3



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WARS  
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UNBEKNOWNST TO THE POPULACE OR HEROES OF THE WORLD, VICTOR VON DOOM HAS FINALLY CONQUERED ALL OF REALITY. HE HAS TAKEN CONTROL OF THE WORLD AND CREATED POCKETS OF CONTROLLED CHAOS THAT ALL FALL UNDER HIS PURVIEW.

ALL THEY KNOW IS THE REALITY DOOM HAS CREATED FOR THEM.

BUT MANHATTAN IS IN A REAL PREDICAMENT: TWO DIFFERENT UNIVERSES ARE EXISTING IN THE SAME PLACE. HEROES FROM TWO DIFFERENT DIMENSIONS ARE RUNNING AROUND THE CITY AT THE SAME TIME. SOME THAT ARE VERY SIMILAR TO EACH OTHER AND OTHERS THAT ARE WILDLY DIFFERENT.

THE HEROES OF BOTH UNIVERSES ARE TRYING TO FIGURE OUT HOW TO UNDO THE DAMAGE AND COEXIST.

BUT DOOM'S ROYAL GUARD, THE THORS, HAVE ASSASSINATED HAWKEYE.

SPIDER-MAN'S IDENTITY IS KNOWN TO MOST OF THE PUBLIC.

AND THE HULKS CLASH, ACCIDENTALLY CAUSING A HIGH-SECURITY PRISON RIOT THAT LED TO THE ESCAPE OF THE ASSASSIN OF CRIMINALS KNOWN AS THE PUNISHER.

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Triskelion Containment Center.  
Two Weeks Ago.

DOCTOR  
BANNER!!!

DON'T  
YELL AT  
HIM...

HE CAN'T  
HURT US  
NOW.

(ARE THE  
FAMOUS LAST  
WORDS OF  
EVERYONE WHO'S  
EVER MET  
HIM.)

BANNER!!

AGH!

What the  
hell were  
you doing,  
Doctor?

I-I CAN  
EXPLAIN.

You can  
explain why you  
turned into a Hulk and  
threw another whole Hulk  
into the most maximum  
security prison full of  
hundreds of the most  
dangerous criminals in  
the world??

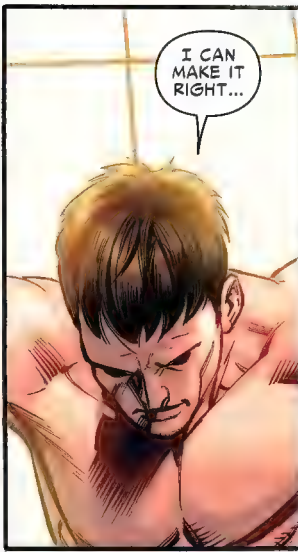
You can  
explain to me why  
you caused a full-blown  
prison riot that killed  
good S.H.I.E.L.D. agents and  
prison guards and over  
100 of the most dangerous  
criminals have escaped  
into the city??!!

OH,  
NO...





Doctor Bruce Banner, just so we are absolutely clear, you are under arrest!



I CAN MAKE IT RIGHT...



Yeah??

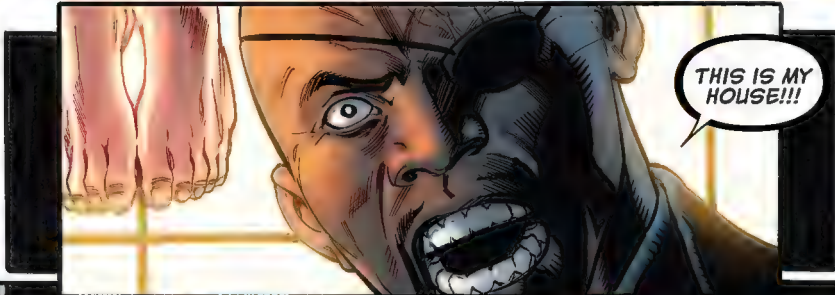
Why start now?

WHY DON'T YOU LET HIM TALK?

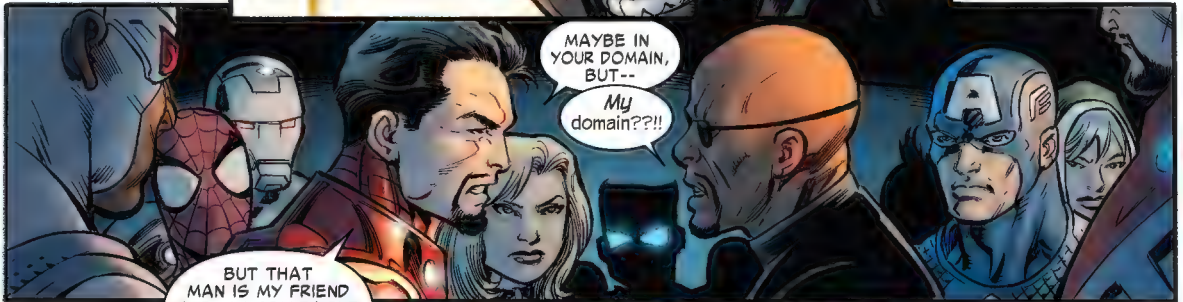


Why are you even in here, Stark?

ACTUALLY, I WAS WONDERING THE SAME THING ABOUT YOU, FURY.



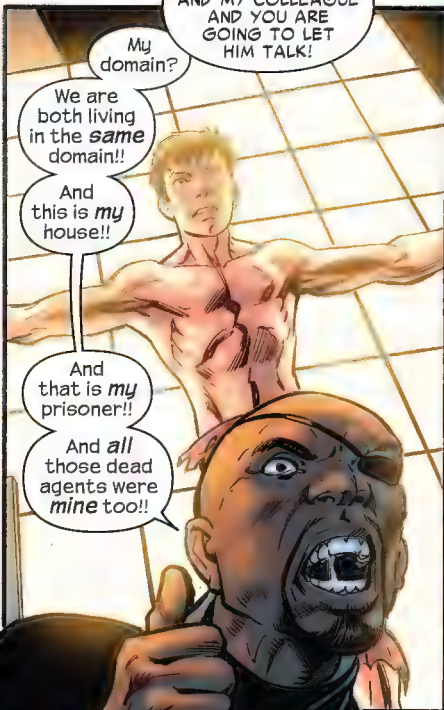
THIS IS MY HOUSE!!!



MAYBE IN YOUR DOMAIN, BUT--

My domain?!!

BUT THAT MAN IS MY FRIEND AND MY COLLEAGUE AND YOU ARE GOING TO LET HIM TALK!



My domain?

We are both living in the *same* domain!!

And this is *my* house!!

And that is *my* prisoner!!

And *all* those dead agents were *mine* too!!



And *all* of you damn super heroes didn't do a damn thing but make this worse!!

We are piled on top of each other and it is getting *worse*!!

This is what they call the tipping point!!

Do you know what that means?





Tipping point!!  
Hello?? why do I have  
two, not one, but *two*  
Tony Starks, two god  
damn futurists  
in here...

Calm  
down and--

And neither one  
of you see this damn  
tipping point barreling  
down the street like  
a damn *wrecking*  
*ball!!!*



MAN...  
YOU ARE  
A REALLY  
GOOD  
YELLER.



Parker!

LET'S JUST  
FIGURE OUT  
WHAT  
HAPPENED--

(DON'T JUST  
YELL OUT MY  
NAME, MAN.)

BANNER,  
TALK TO US,  
WHAT  
HAPPENED?

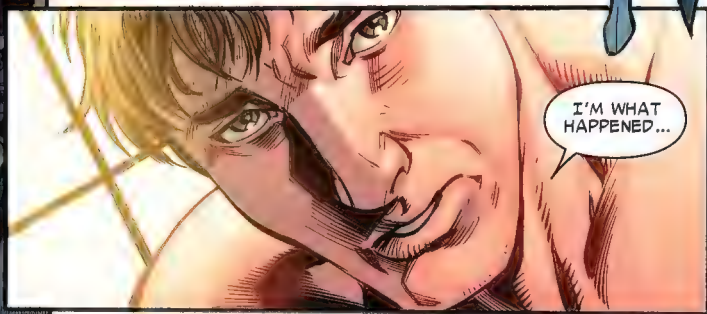


FURY IS  
RIGHT.



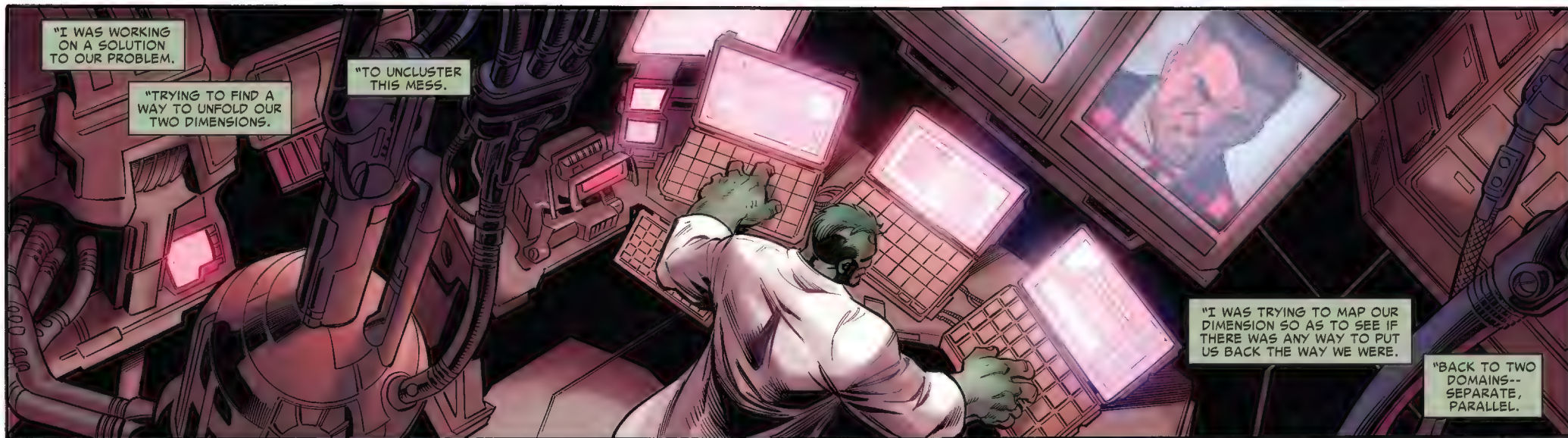
DOCTOR  
BANNER, I AM  
EMMA FROST OF  
THE X-MEN.

DON'T KNOW  
IF YOU KNOW,  
BUT I'M A PSYCHIC  
AND I CAN--I AM  
READING YOUR  
MIND.  
IT'S OKAY,  
TELL THEM WHAT  
HAPPENED.



I'M WHAT  
HAPPENED...





"I WAS WORKING ON A SOLUTION TO OUR PROBLEM."

"TRYING TO FIND A WAY TO UNFOLD OUR TWO DIMENSIONS."

"TO UNCLUSTER THIS MESS."

"I WAS TRYING TO MAP OUR DIMENSION SO AS TO SEE IF THERE WAS ANY WAY TO PUT US BACK THE WAY WE WERE."

"BACK TO TWO DOMAINS-- SEPARATE, PARALLEL."



"AND THEN..."



"...I WALKED IN..."



HI, UM, HUH.



HOW DID YOU FIND ME?



Gamma ray detector.

Did you have them where you're from?



YES.

This is more awkward than I even imagined.

I WAS WATCHING TONY STARK DEAL WITH HIS DOPPELGÄNGER.

(NOT WELL, MIND YOU.)

AND I WAS WONDERING IF I WOULD HAVE A SIMILAR CONFRONTATION.



What are you doing here?



TRYING TO FIX THINGS.

WOULD YOU LIKE TO HELP?

WOULD YOU LIKE SOME FOOD?



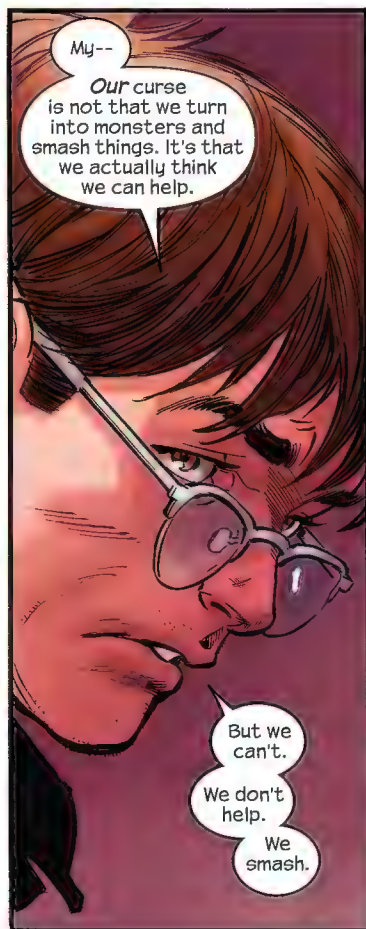
Don't try to help.

Don't...



WHY?



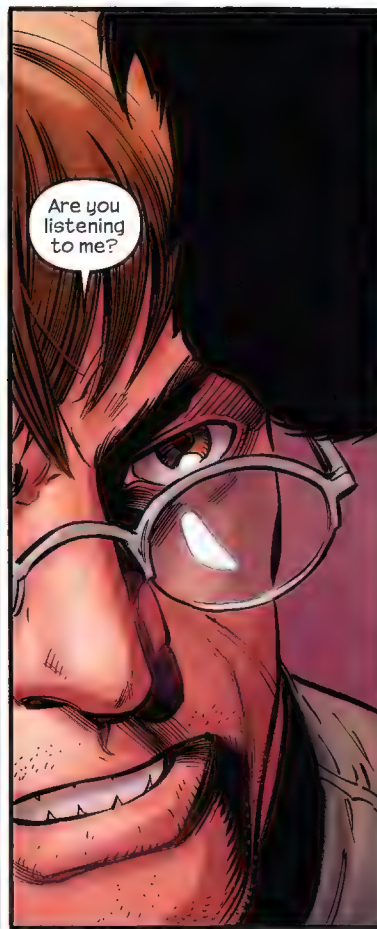


My--  
Our curse  
is not that we turn  
into monsters and  
smash things. It's that  
we actually think  
we can help.

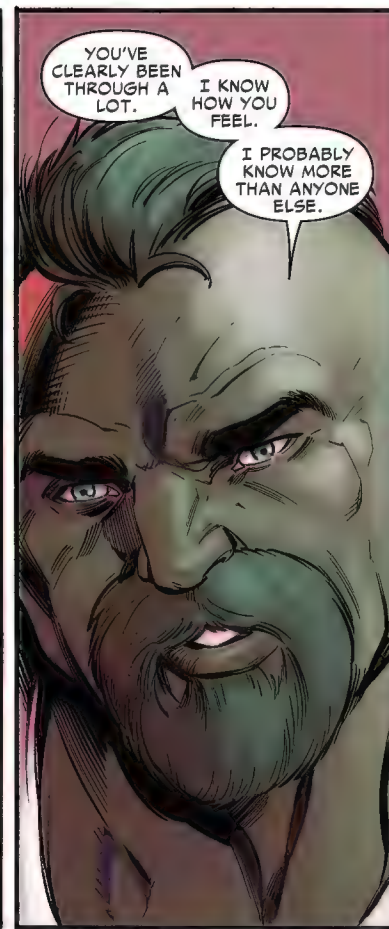
But we  
can't.  
We don't  
help.  
We  
smash.



WELL,  
WE'LL  
SEE...  
YOU WANT  
TO TAKE A  
LOOK AT  
THIS?  
I COULD  
USE AN EXTRA  
SET OF EYES.



Are you  
listening  
to me?



YOU'VE  
CLEARLY BEEN  
THROUGH A  
LOT.

I KNOW  
HOW YOU  
FEEL.

I PROBABLY  
KNOW MORE  
THAN ANYONE  
ELSE.



You look  
insane to  
me.  
Like a  
dog wearing  
a sweater.



YOU'RE MAD  
AT YOURSELF  
AND YOU'RE  
TAKING IT OUT  
ON ME.

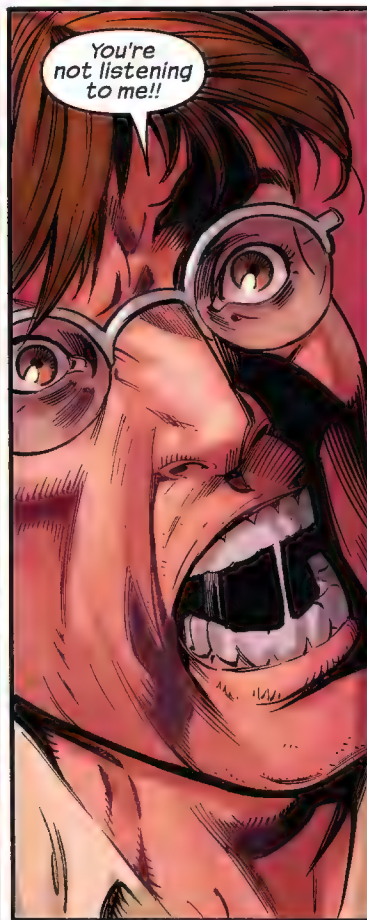
AND I  
PROMISE YOU I DO  
FIND IT FASCINATING  
BUT THERE ARE MORE  
IMPORTANT THINGS  
TO DO.

SO PULL  
UP A CHAIR  
AND HELP.  
OR  
LEAVE.



THIS  
WON'T HELP!!  
You won't  
help!!

I SWEAR  
TO GOD, I  
HAD THIS  
EXACT DREAM  
ONCE.  
JUST GO  
AWAY.



You're  
not listening  
to me!!



YOU  
NEED  
TO CALM  
DOWN.

Has  
telling  
us to calm  
down ever  
worked?!

BUT  
NOR HAS THE  
OTHER THING  
AND I DON'T  
WANT TO DO  
THAT.



Leave  
this alone,  
you're going  
to make it  
worse.

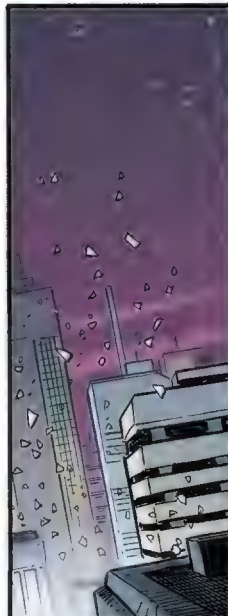
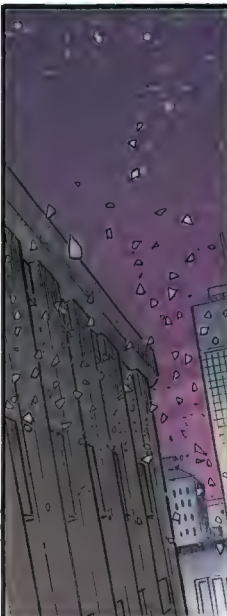
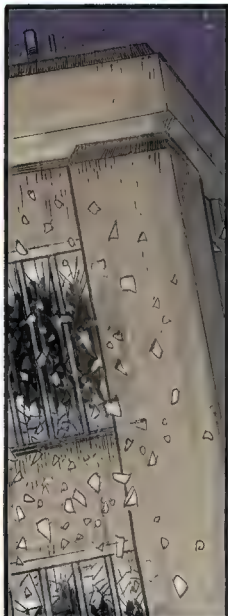
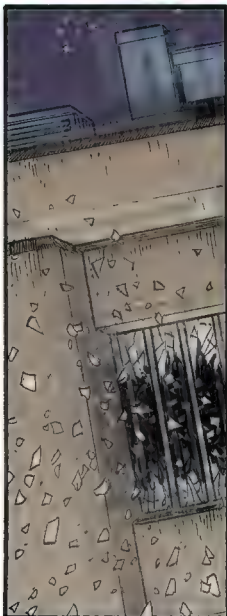
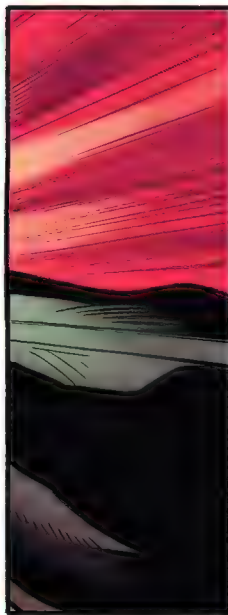
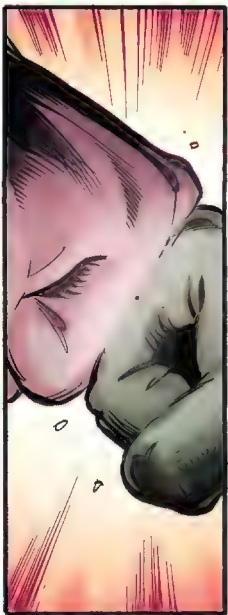
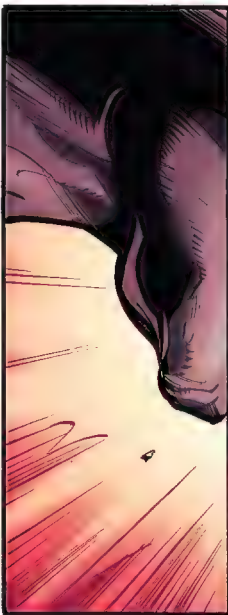
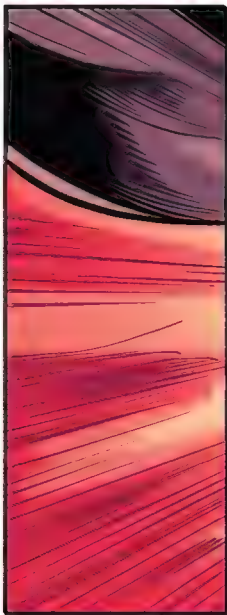
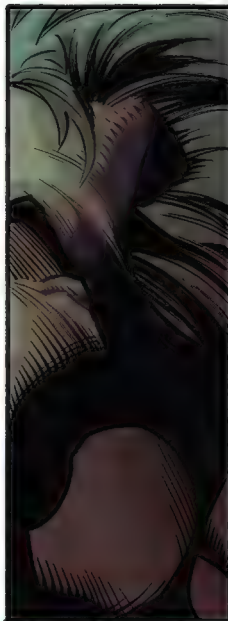
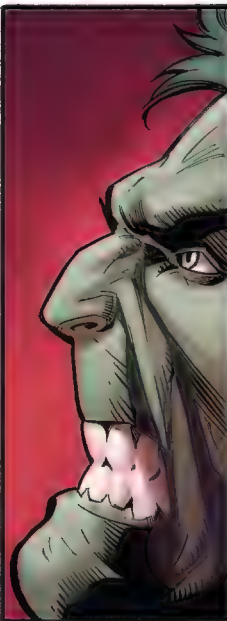
Then they  
will blame you.  
Then they will  
hunt you.

Then  
they will  
destroy you.

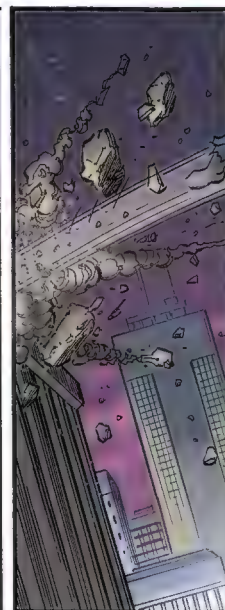
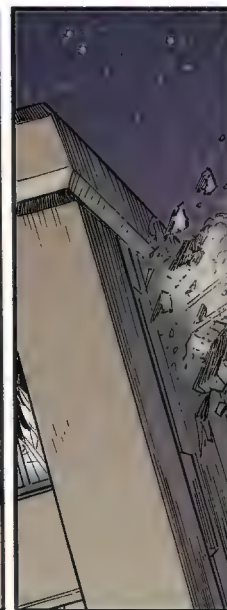
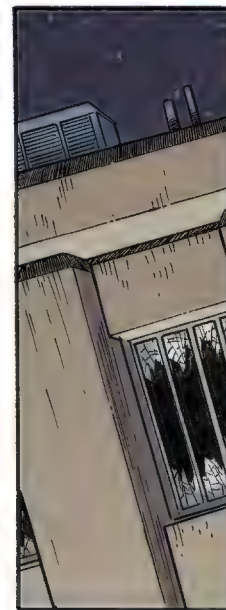
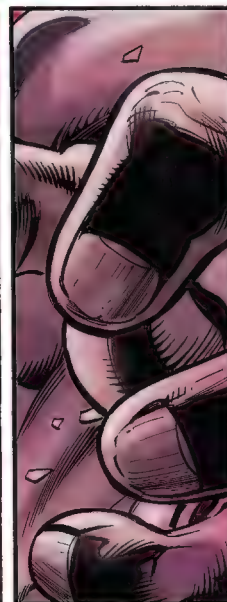
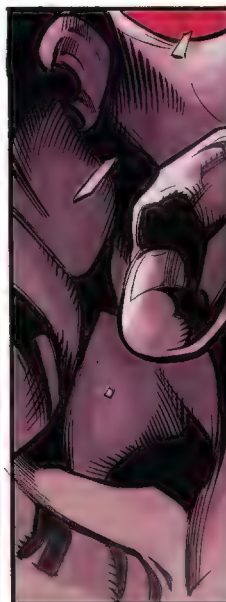
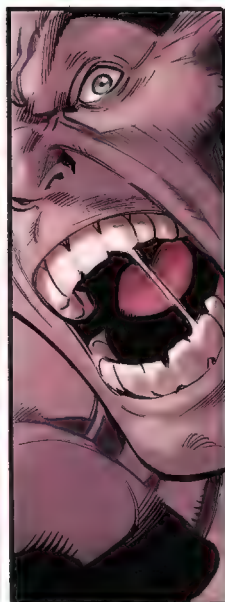
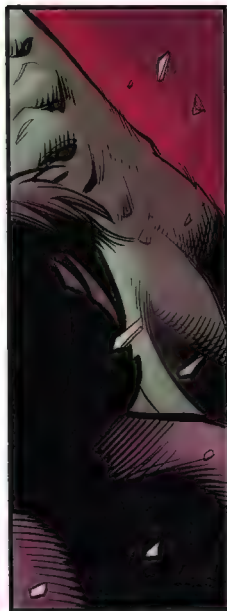
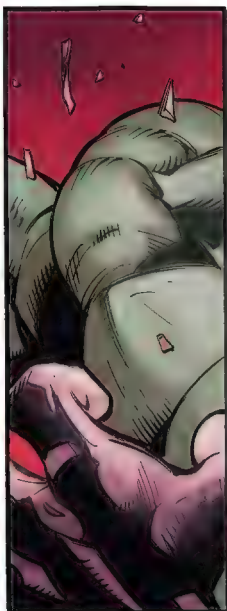
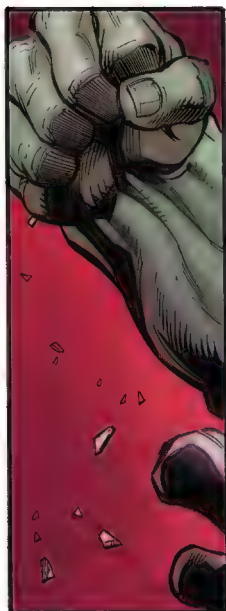
YOU  
BROKEN LITTLE  
COWARD.











"IT WAS  
THE BEST I  
COULD DO..."

"I THREW  
HIM OUT  
TO SEA."

"AWAY FROM  
THE PEOPLE OF  
THIS CITY..."



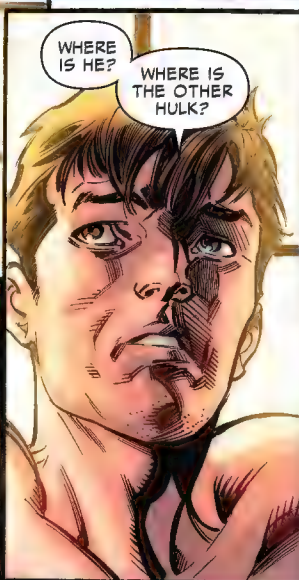


I--I DIDN'T KNOW.  
I DIDN'T KNOW HE WAS GOING TO HIT A PRISON.  
I DIDN'T-- I WAS TRYING TO SAVE THE CITY.

BUT-BUT BEING NEAR HIM...



I--I HAVEN'T HULKED OUT LIKE THAT IN A LONG TIME.  
IT MUST HAVE--IT MUST HAVE BEEN THE GAMMA COMING OFF THE OTHER HULK, OR--  
I INVITED YOU HERE TO LET YOU SEE WHAT THIS IS. SO YOU UNDERSTAND. SO WE'RE ON THE UP AND UP, BUT THAT'S IT...



WHERE IS HE?  
WHERE IS THE OTHER HULK?



That's not *your* problem anymore!  
PLEASE, YOU *HAVE* TO BELIEVE ME!  
That's the problem, Banner, I do believe you.  
Everyone out.  
Out! BUT WHAT ARE YOU--?

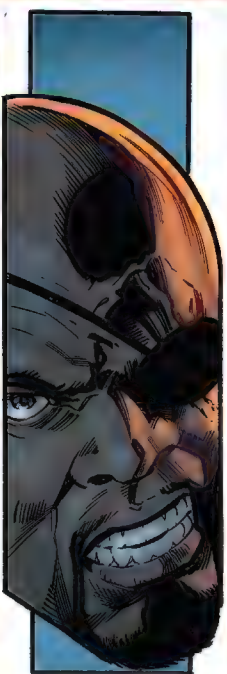
No one is allowed in here unless they are with me and I want reports on his vitals at every quarter hour.

I THINK WE NEED TO DISCUSS THIS.



PLEASE!  
Write me a telegram.  
I CAN HELP!!

THIS IS NOT HOW THIS IS GOING TO GO.



Don't make me confiscate your armor as a point of security.



HE'S MY FRIEND.



Then be glad we have him contained.

HE HAS RIGHTS.

So do the good god-fearing people of this city.



TONY...  
FOR NOW...





IT JUST SEEMS THAT AFTER EVERYTHING THAT WENT DOWN TODAY...

HE IS SAFER HERE.

FOR NOW.



YOU KNOW WE'RE NEXT.

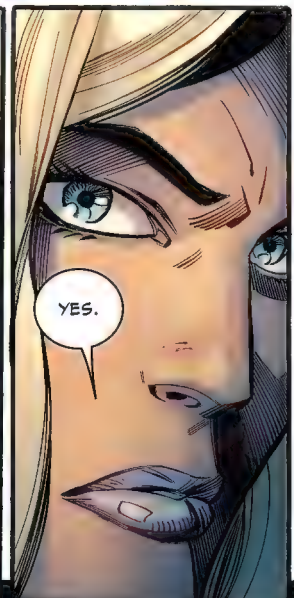
Only if you hulk out and kill my agents.

I appreciate your loyalty and your passion, Stark.

But maybe go back to putting it into a solution to our predicament...



Anything I should be worried about in that head of his?



YES.

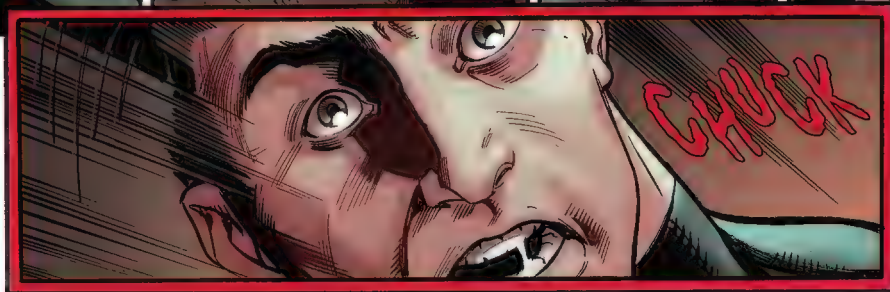
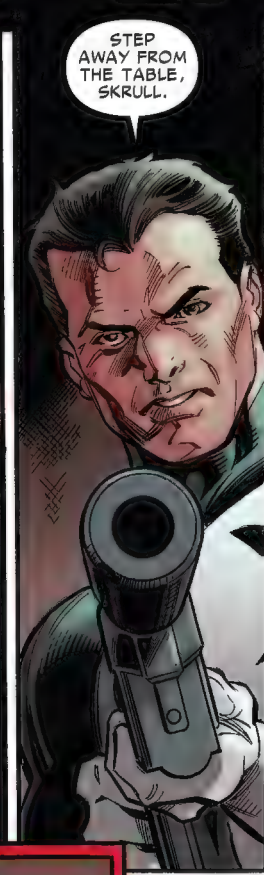
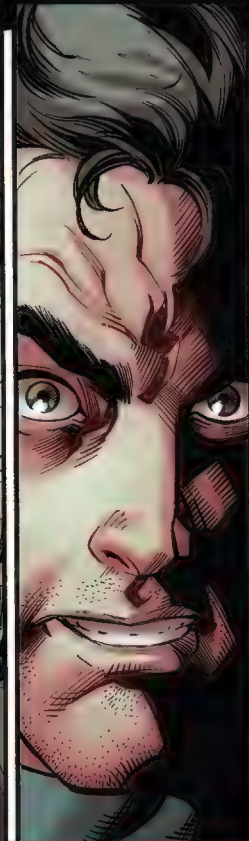


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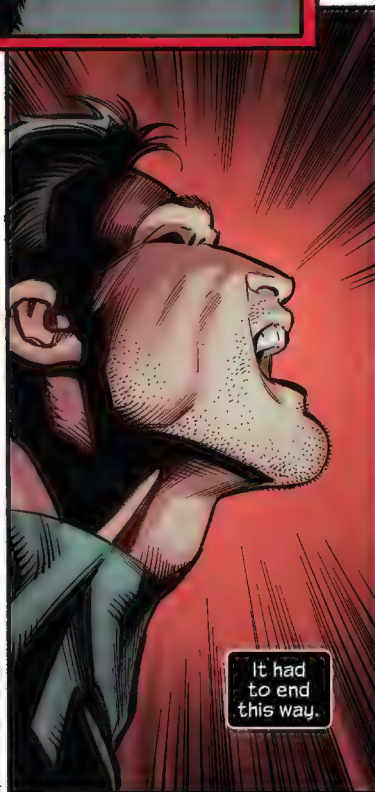
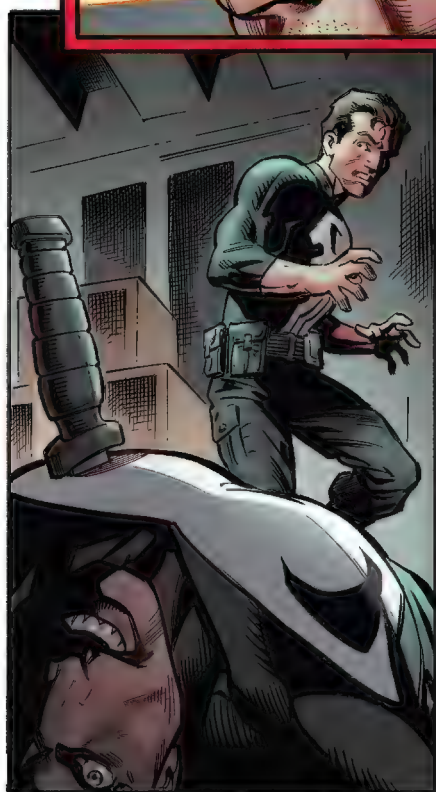
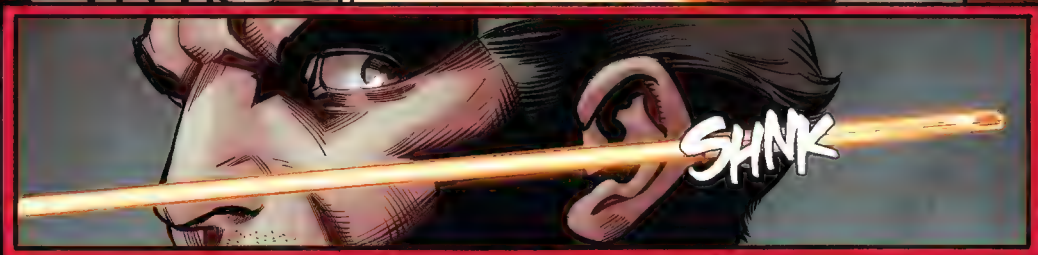
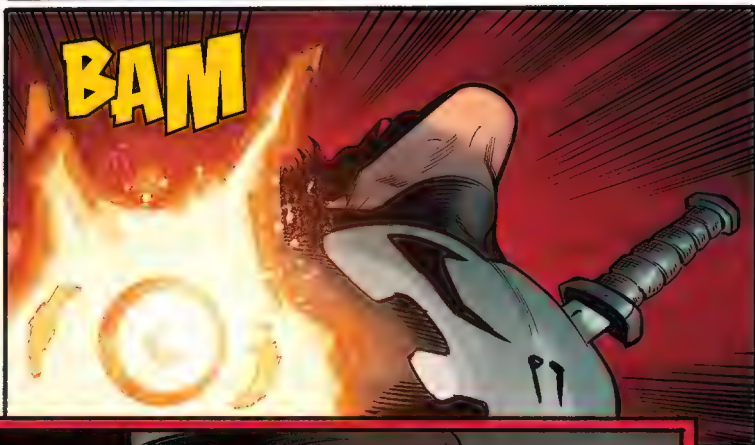
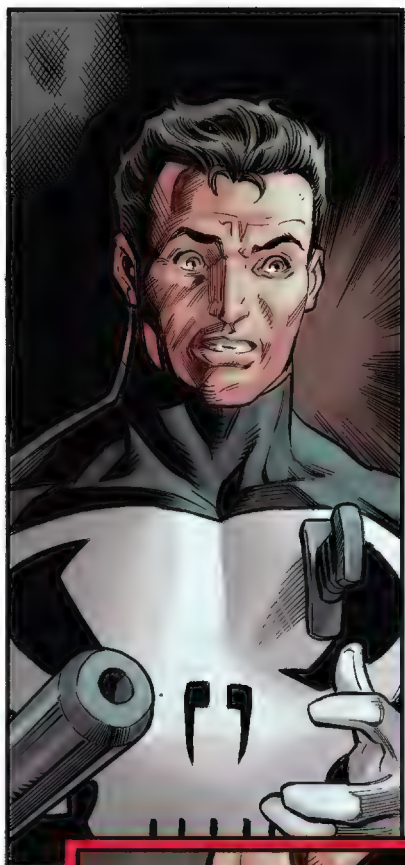




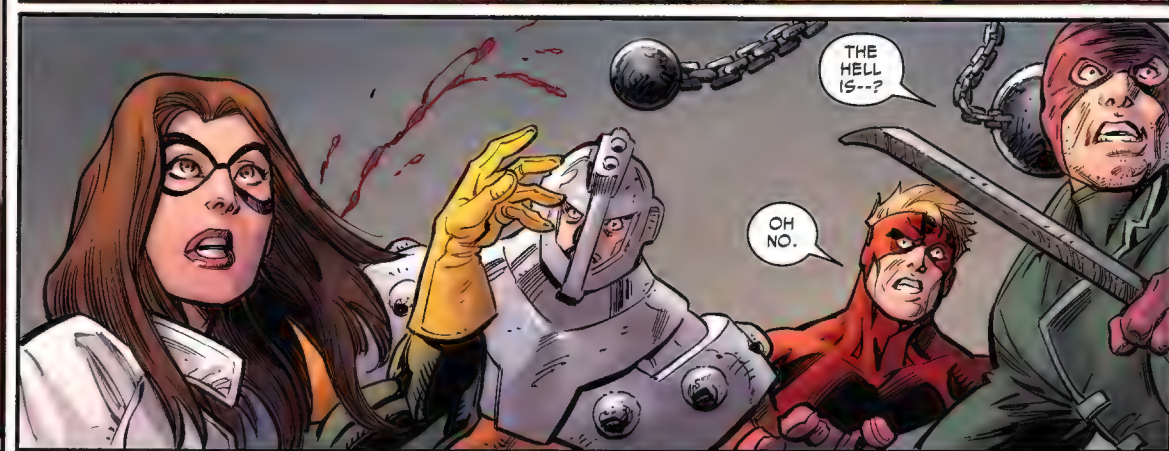
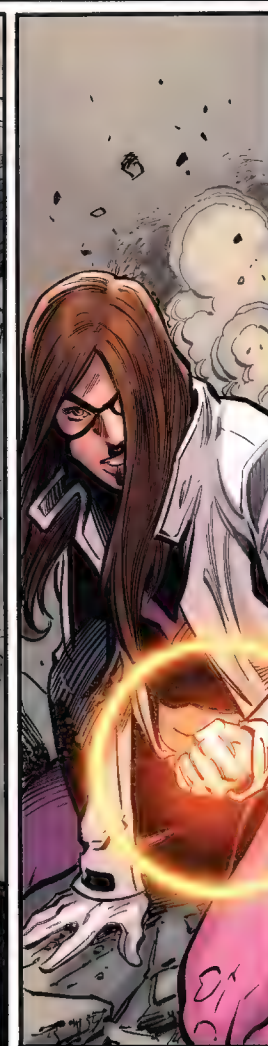
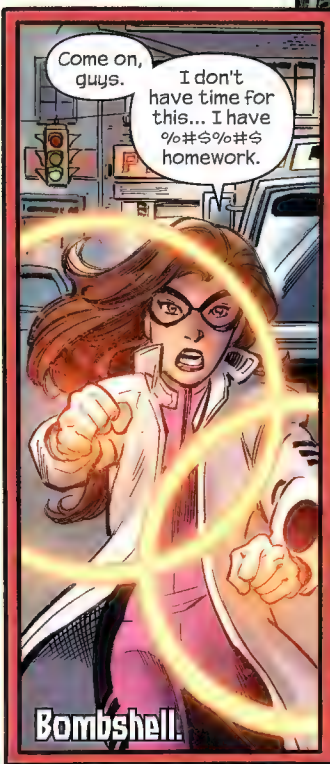




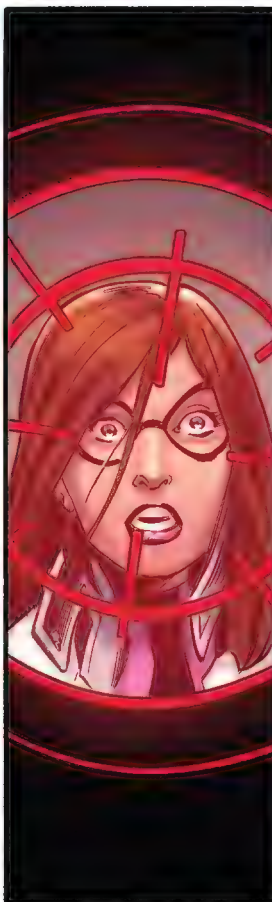
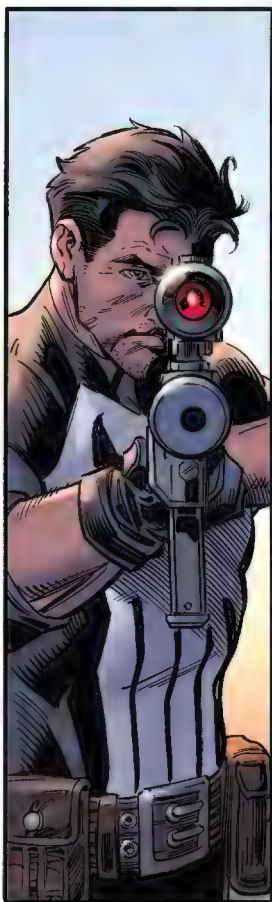
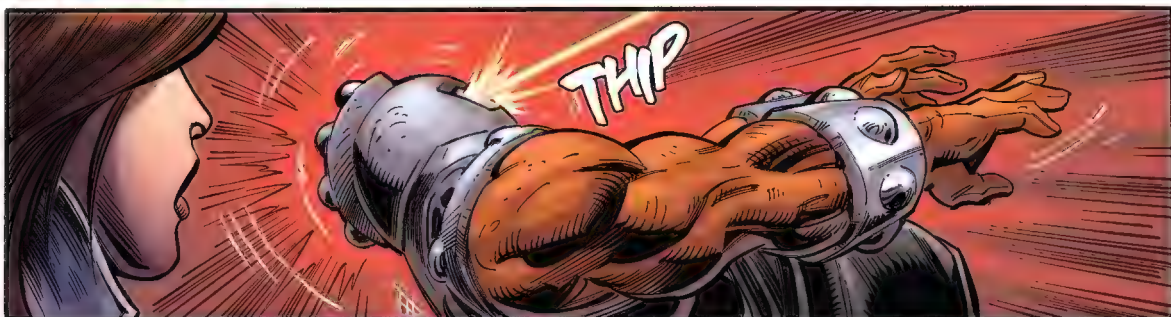
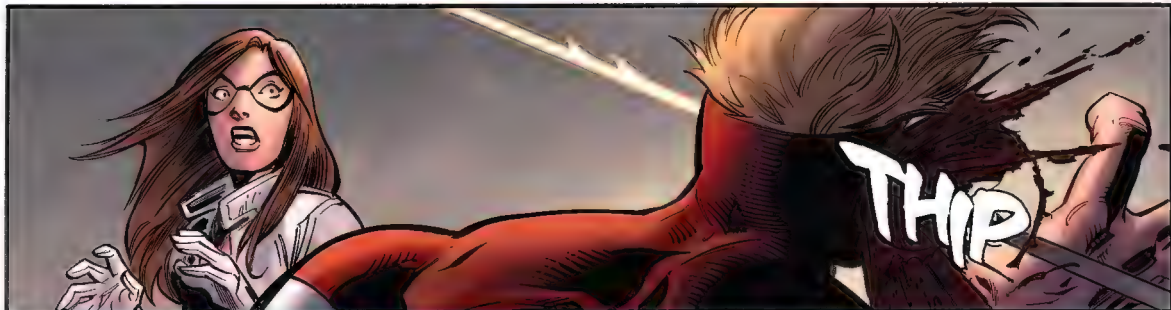
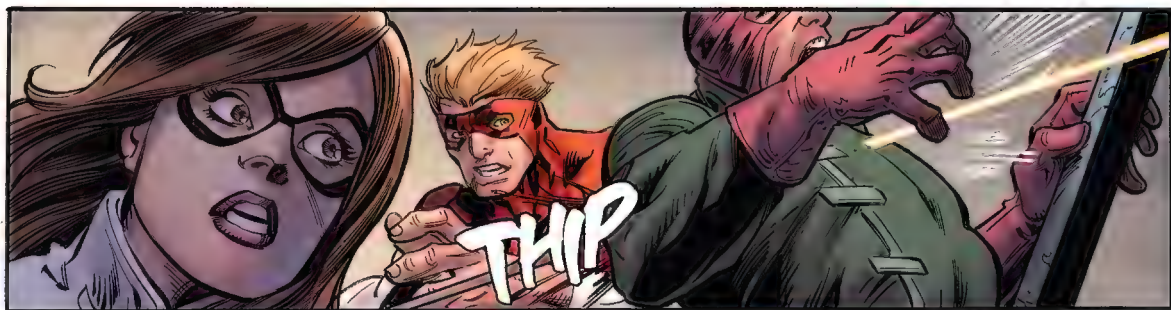






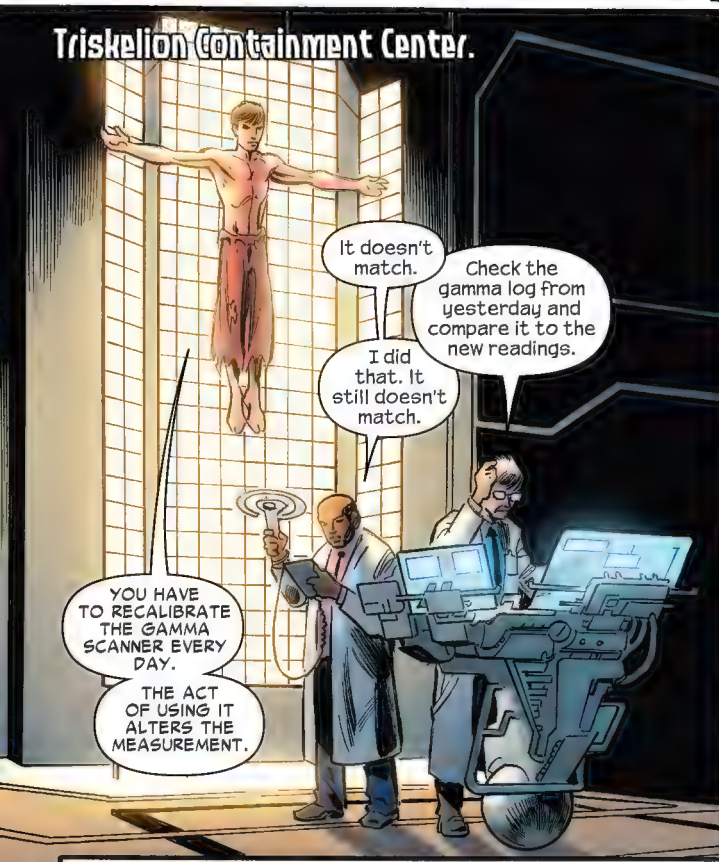








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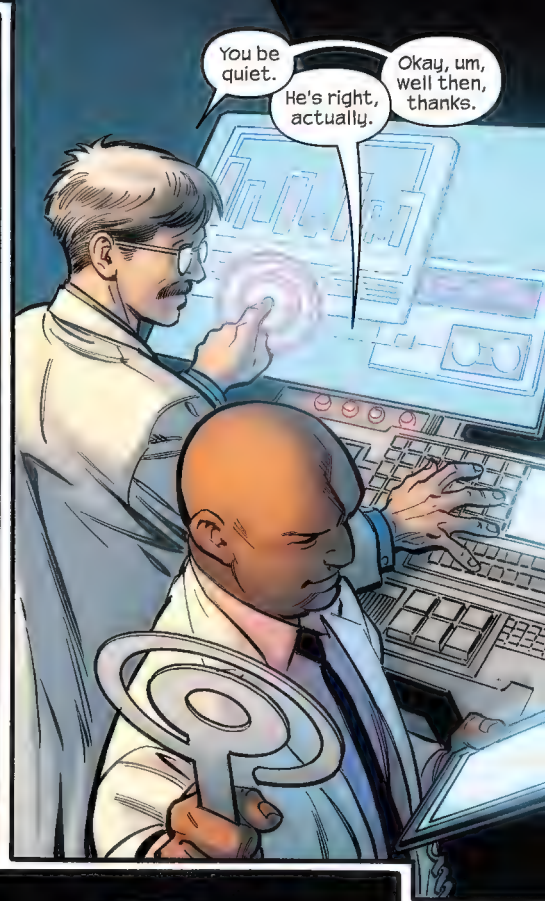
It doesn't match.

Check the gamma log from yesterday and compare it to the new readings.

I did that. It still doesn't match.

YOU HAVE TO RECALIBRATE THE GAMMA SCANNER EVERY DAY.

THE ACT OF USING IT ALTERS THE MEASUREMENT.



You be quiet.

He's right, actually.

Okay, um, well then, thanks.

Um...

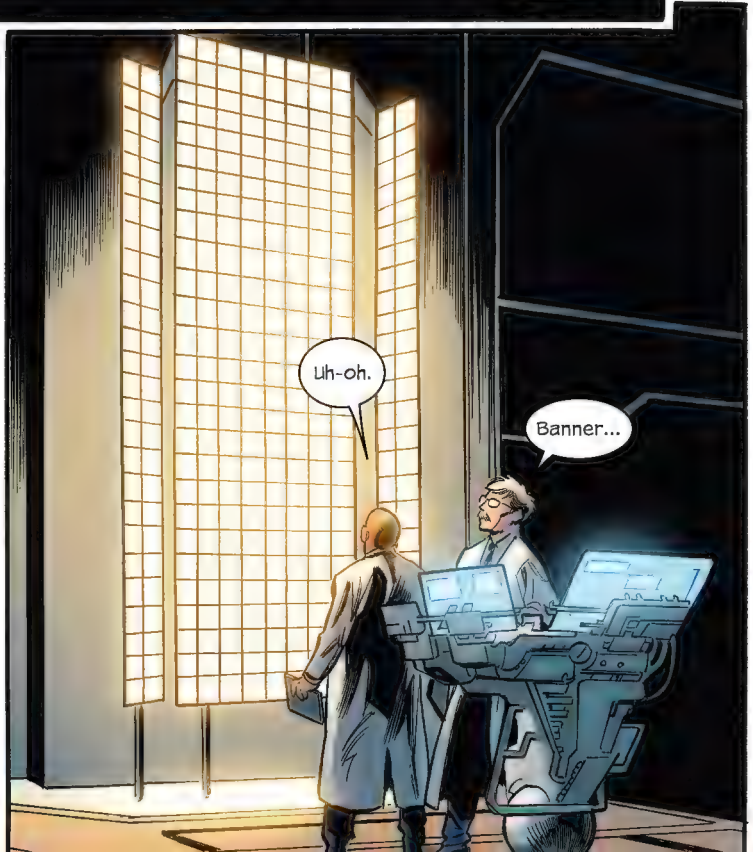
What just happened?!

Complete power failure.



We're in the #\$\$\$%# Triskelion!!

That's impossible.



Uh-oh.

Banner...



"He's gone."



AAAGGH!

PLEASE,  
CALM DOWN,  
BRUCE...



I DON'T  
NEED YOU  
HULKING OUT IN  
THE ARMOR.

I'M  
CONTROLLING  
IT REMOTELY. YOU  
JUST RELAX AND  
LET ME FLY  
FOR YOU.

TONY,  
YOU RESCUED  
ME.

YOU DIDN'T  
THINK I WAS  
GOING TO LET  
YOU SIT THERE  
AND ROT?

BUT  
FURY.



THAT'S  
NOT MY  
FURY.

LISTEN,  
WE NEED  
YOU.

WE NEED  
TO FIGURE OUT  
HOW TO FIX THIS  
MESS AND GO  
HOME.

WE DO  
THAT...



FURY AND  
THE OTHERS  
MIGHT NOT EVEN  
REMEMBER WE  
WERE EVER  
HERE.

OR VICE  
VERSA.

DAMN  
RIGHT.

To Be Continued...



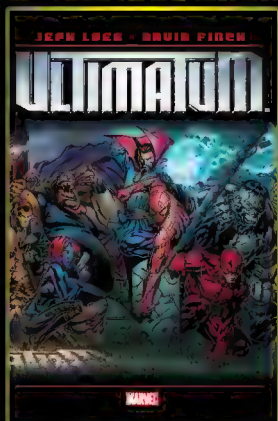
# ULTIMATE END

NEXT: LAST HERO STANDING

ISSUE  
#4



ALSO AVAILABLE: THESE ULTIMATE COLLECTIONS ON SALE NOW





# BATTLEWORLD

ISSUE

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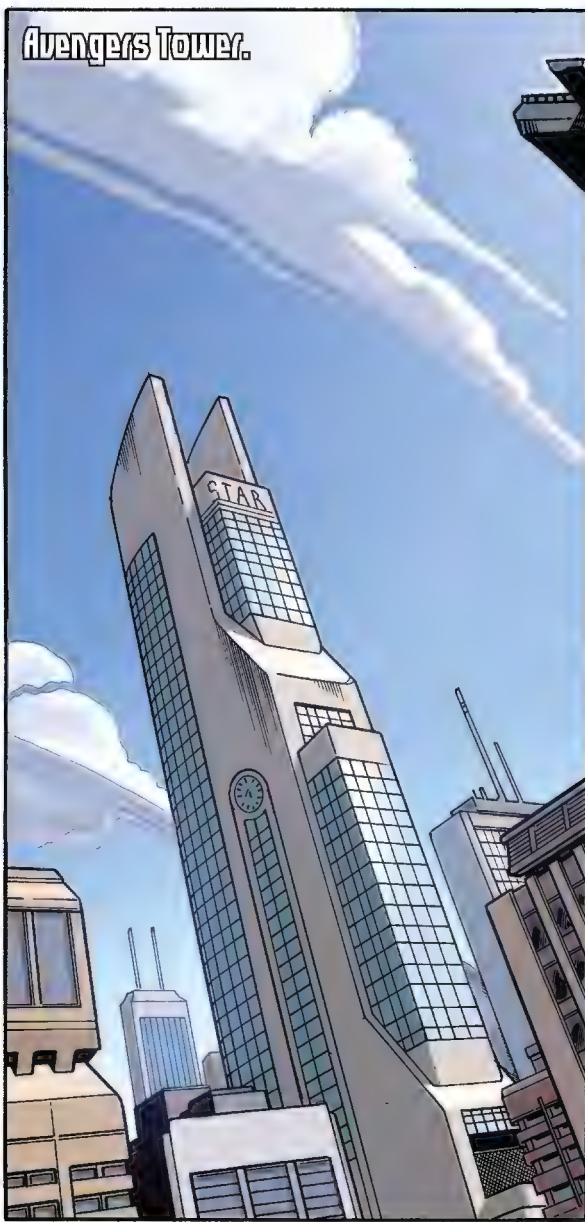
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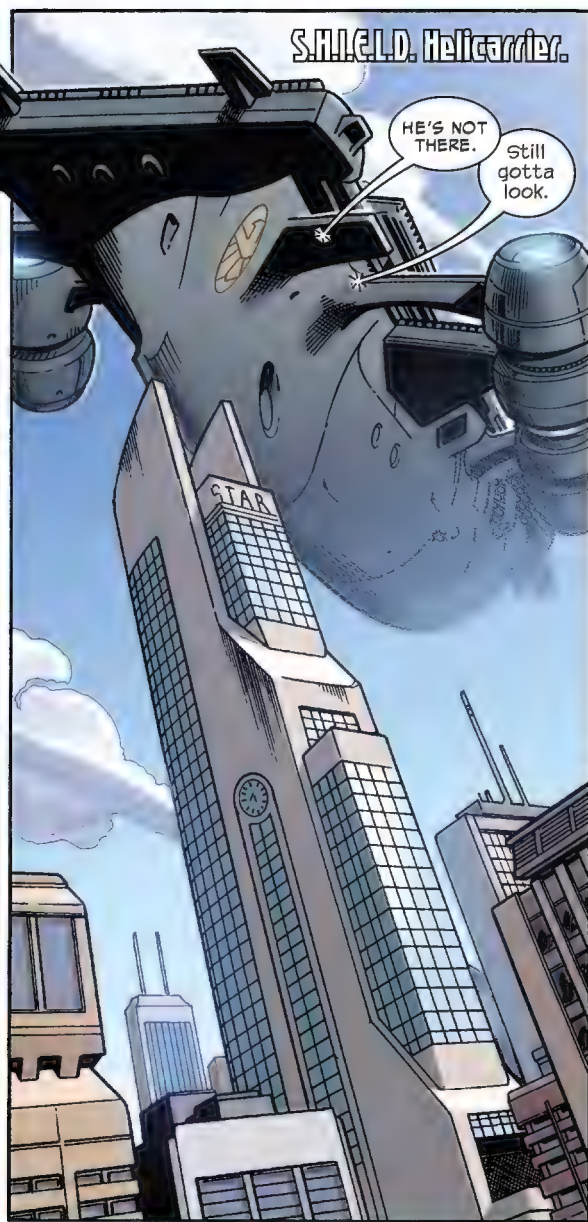
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Avengers Tower.



S.H.I.E.L.D. Helicarrier.



HE'S  
ANYWHERE  
BUT THERE.

The man  
stole a Hulk,  
Miss Hill.

Alpha  
team...

You're  
up!





This'll be fun.

Really, Ben? I'm not looking forward to this at all.

I DO BELIEVE MR. GRIMM WAS BEING SARCASTIC.

Us versus two Tony Starks and a Hulk.

No.

This might actually be fun.

THERE IS NO WAY THEY ARE HERE.



Should we knock?

HE KNOWS WE'RE HERE.

Bust in the door.

IT'S PROBABLY BOOBY TRAPPED.

Why would it be booby trapped?

I WOULD BOOBY TRAP IT.

Trust issues much?

YES.

HOW ABOUT WE KNOCK?



Tony!

Either Tony!

We need to talk. We need to settle this down and quickly.

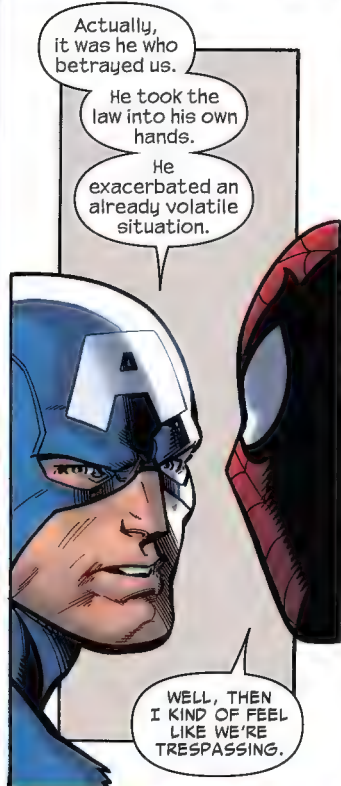
I KINDA FEEL LIKE WE'RE BETRAYING ONE OF OUR OWN, CAP..



WELL, YOU ARE TRESPASSING.

NOW MY SPIDER-SENSE GOES OFF...

WELL DAMN.



Actually, it was he who betrayed us.

He took the law into his own hands.

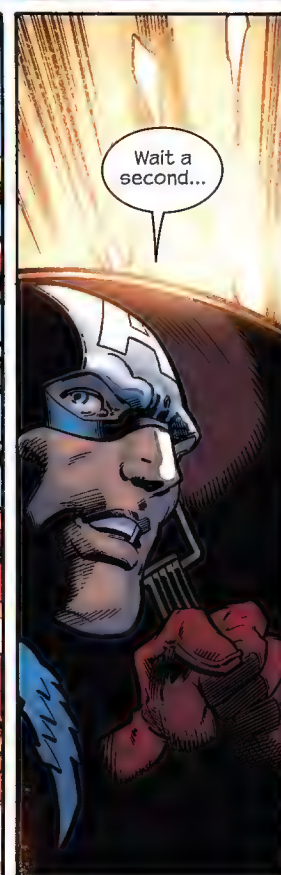
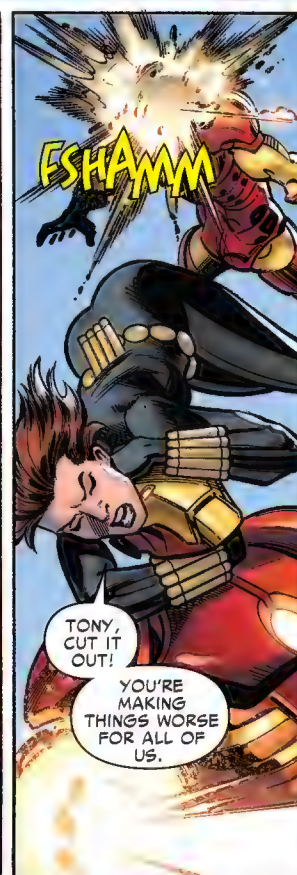
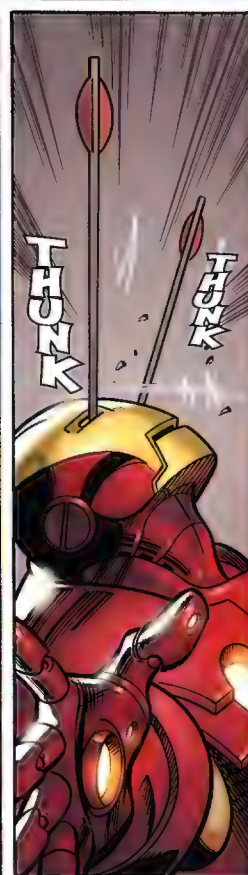
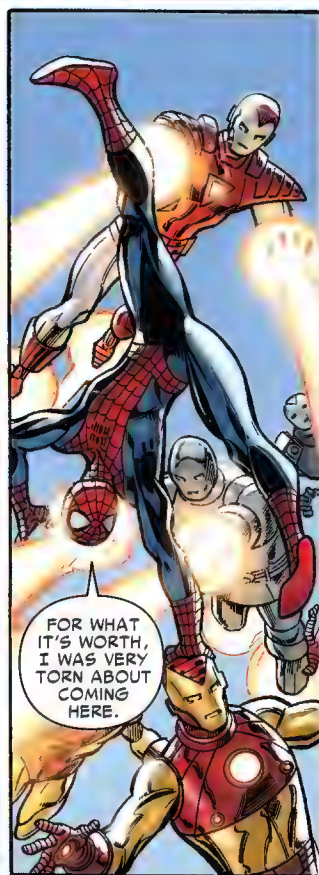
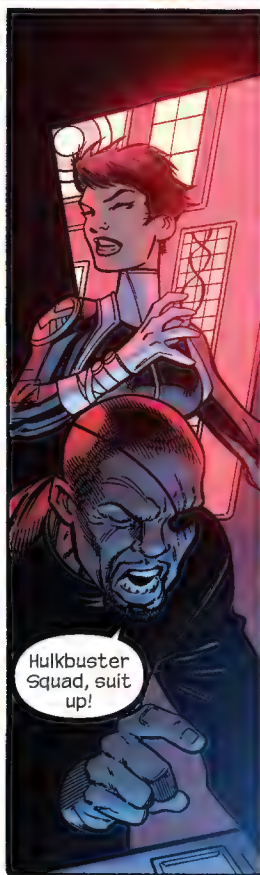
He exacerbated an already volatile situation.

WELL, THEN I KIND OF FEEL LIKE WE'RE TRESPASSING.

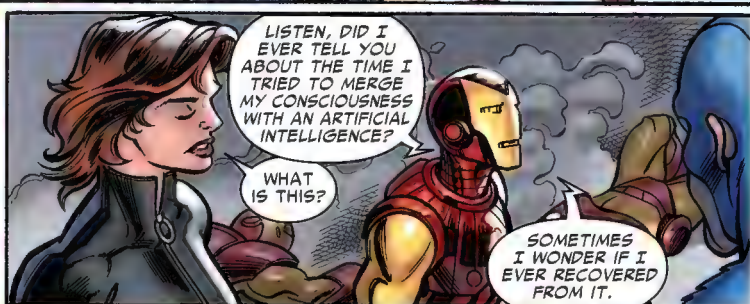
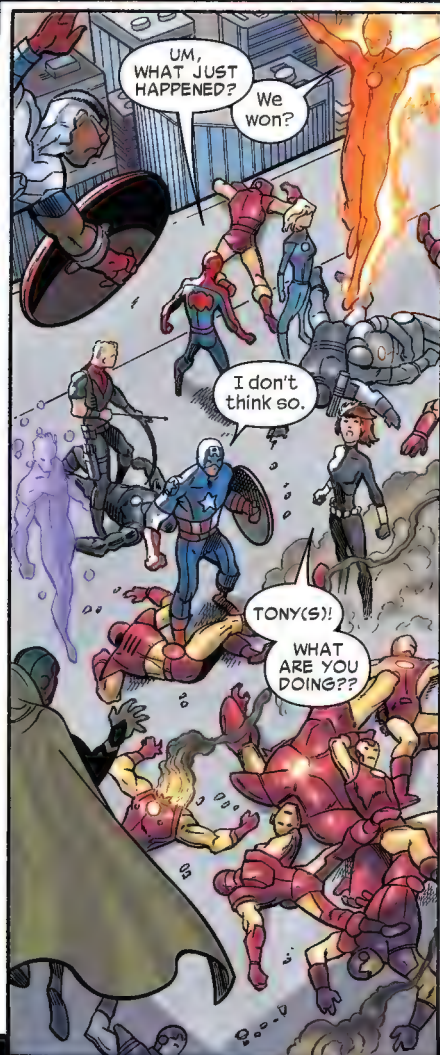
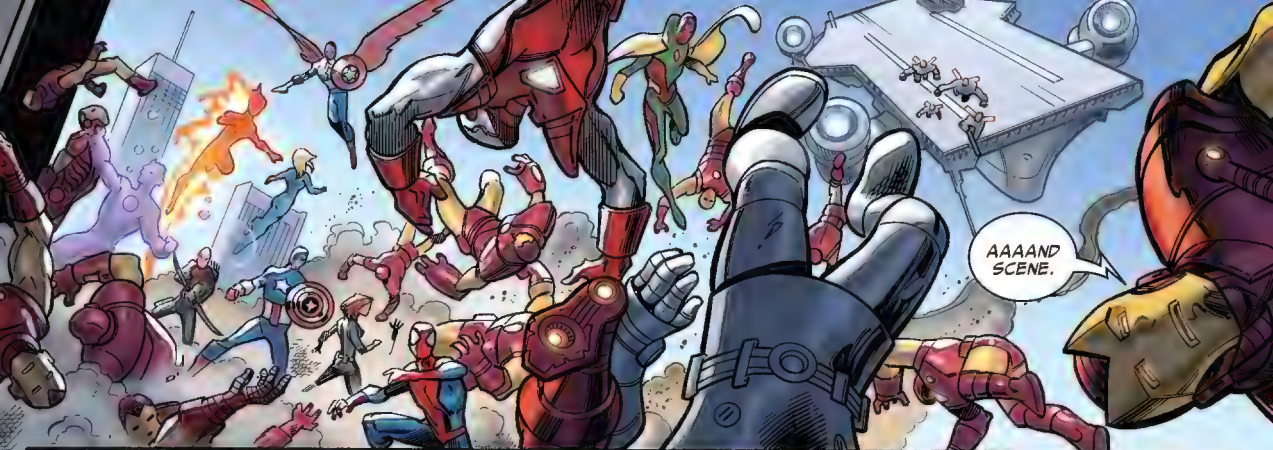


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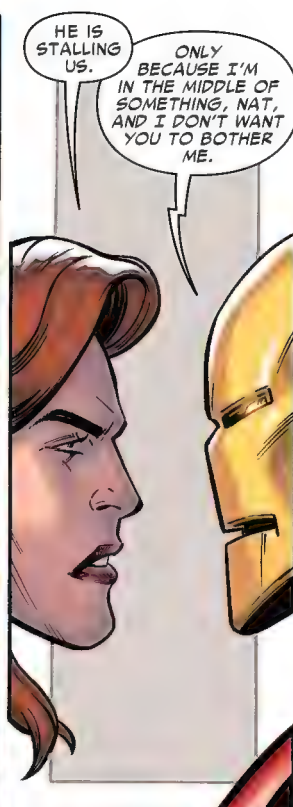




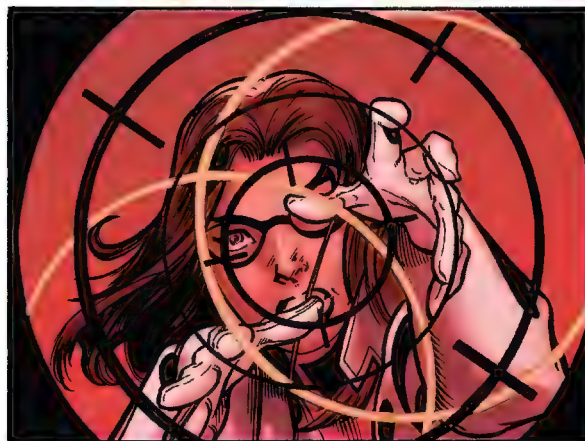
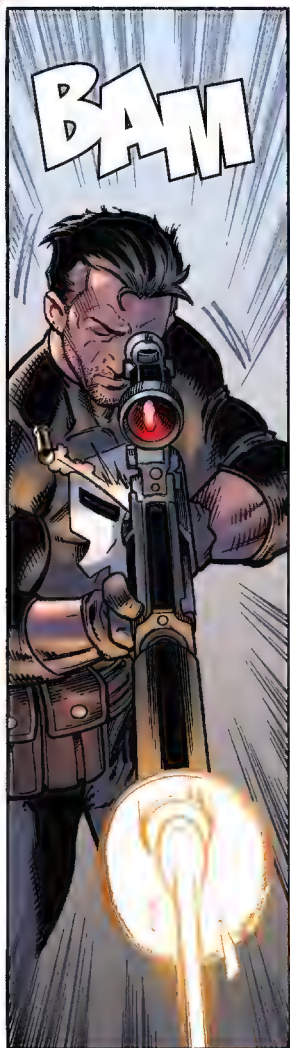




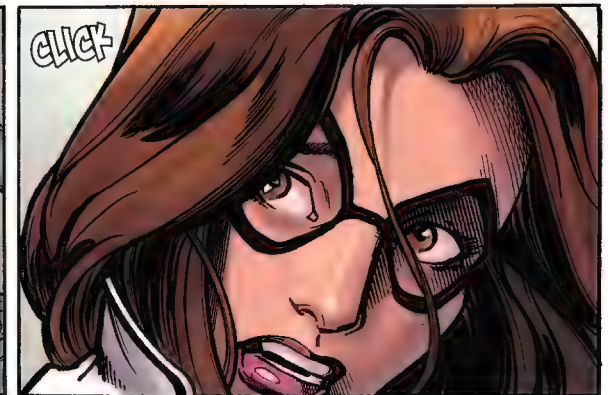
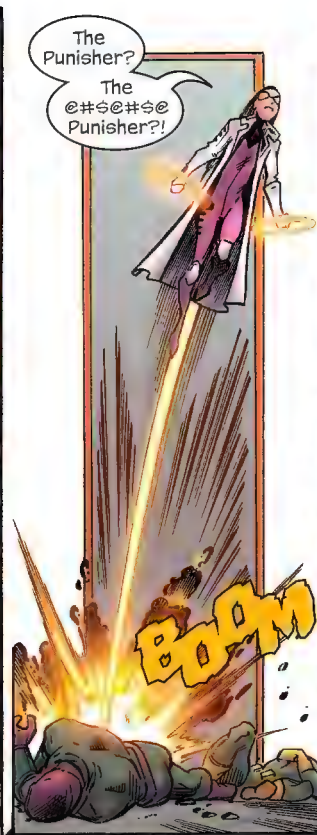
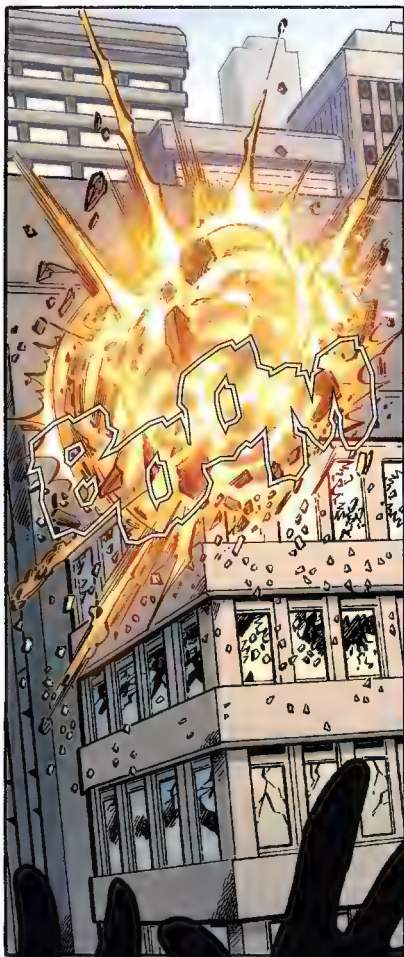














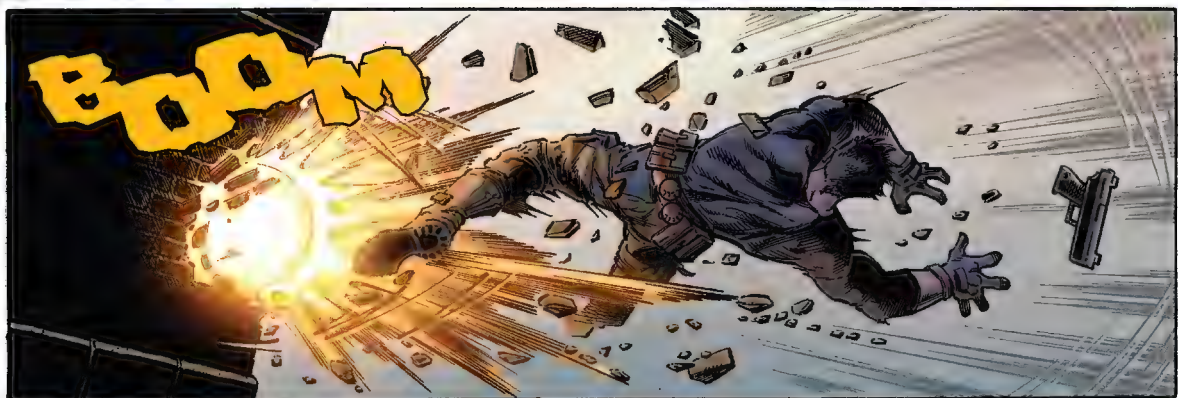


This is all your fault!!!

All of you!!!

**BAM**

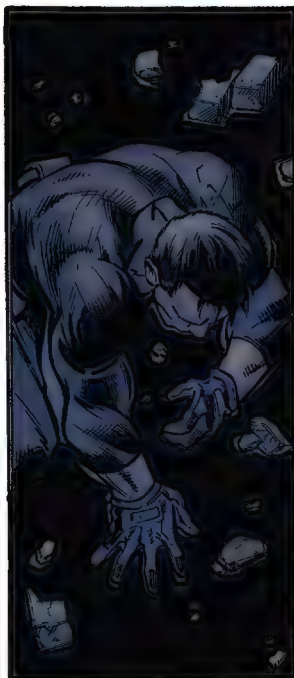
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**BOOM**



This is all your...



I can't imagine what made you think this was a good idea...





But you were way off.

Cloak.

Dagger.

Way off!



Rraaggh!

Hurt? Good!



Oh my God, Lana?!

Dagger!

I-I think he shot me in the head!

No! No, it's just your ear!

Are you sure?

Well, you're still alive and talking.



This is all your fault!

ALL OF YOU!!!

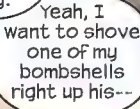
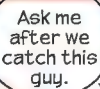


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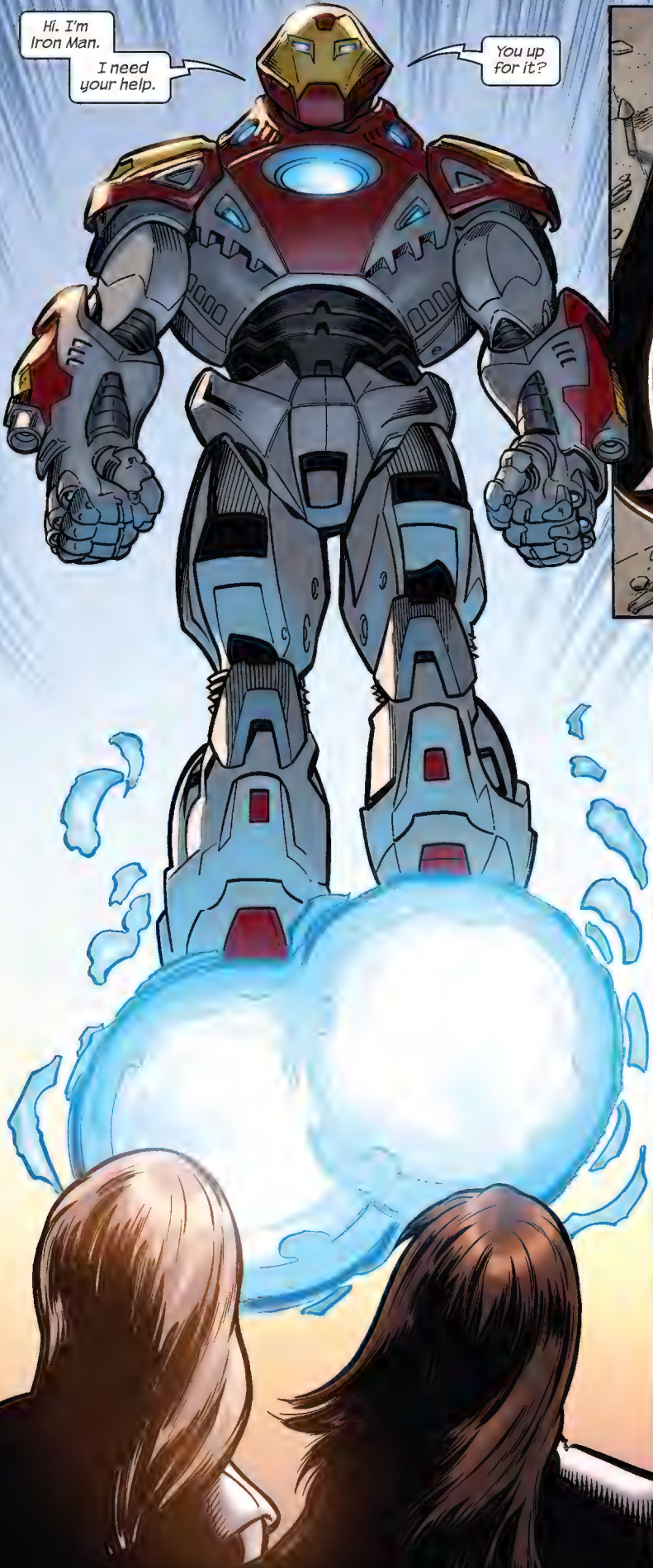








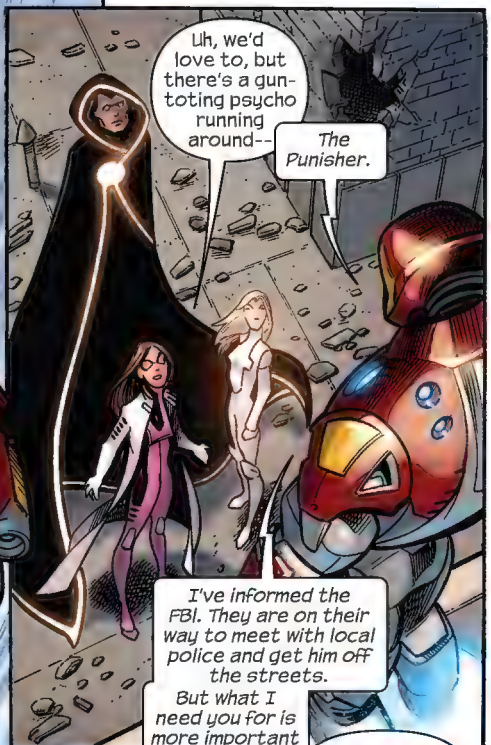




Hi. I'm Iron Man.

I need your help.

You up for it?



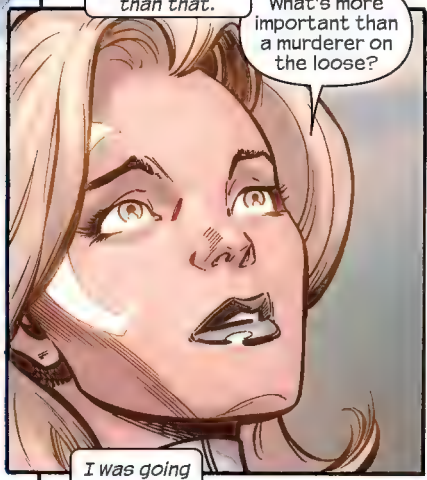
Uh, we'd love to, but there's a gun-toting psycho running around--

The Punisher.

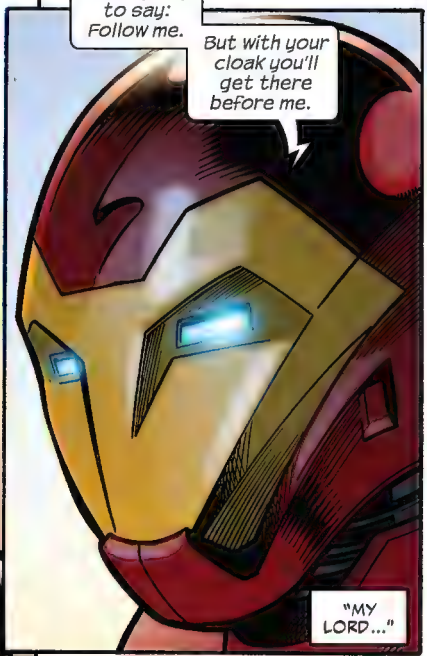
I've informed the FBI. They are on their way to meet with local police and get him off the streets.

But what I need you for is more important than that.

What's more important than a murderer on the loose?



I was going to say: Follow me.



But with your cloak you'll get there before me.

"MY LORD..."



# Doomstadt.

I KNOW  
YOU DO NOT  
WANT TO BE  
BOTHERED WITH  
REGIONAL  
CONFLICTS.

AND I  
CERTAINLY  
UNDERSTAND  
WHY BUT...

## The High Court Of Doom.

AS YOUR  
CHOSEN LEADER  
OF THE KINGDOM'S  
SCIENCE FOUNDATION,  
I DO THINK THIS  
ONE DESERVES YOUR  
ATTENTION.

IT'S THE  
MANHATTAN  
DOMAIN...

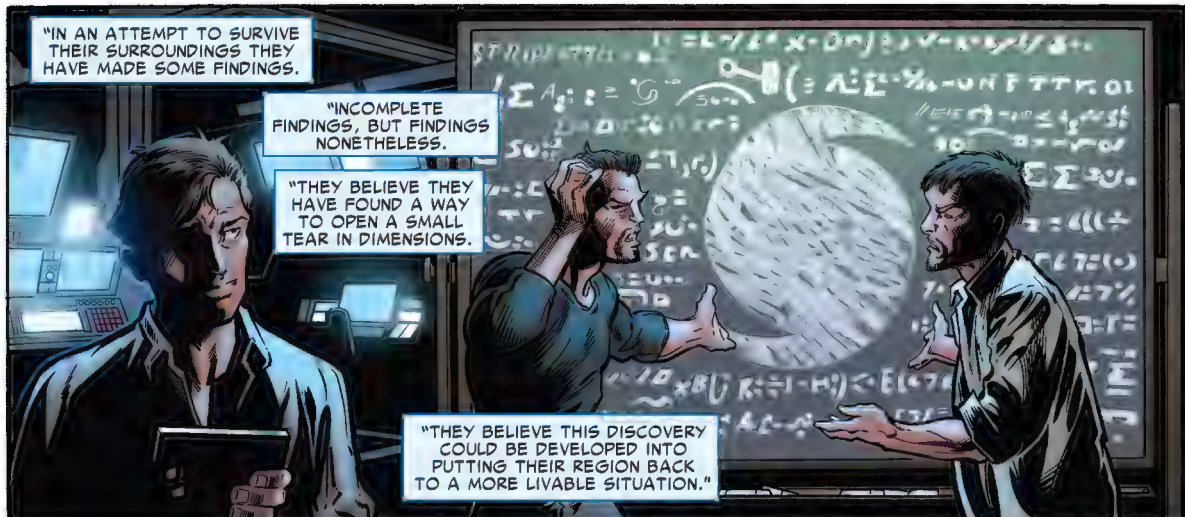
THE ONE  
WITH THE  
DIMENSIONAL  
ANOMALIES THAT  
HAVE RESULTED IN  
DOPPELGÄNGER  
CHAOS.

## Doom.

I KNOW  
YOU DISPENSED  
THE ROYAL GUARD  
TO THAT REGION  
AND MADE YOUR  
WISHES VERY  
CLEAR...

BUT WE  
HAVE REASON  
TO BELIEVE THAT  
A FACTION HAS  
GONE AGAINST  
YOUR DIRECT  
WORD.





"IN AN ATTEMPT TO SURVIVE THEIR SURROUNDINGS THEY HAVE MADE SOME FINDINGS."

"INCOMPLETE FINDINGS, BUT FINDINGS NONETHELESS."

"THEY BELIEVE THEY HAVE FOUND A WAY TO OPEN A SMALL TEAR IN DIMENSIONS."

"THEY BELIEVE THIS DISCOVERY COULD BE DEVELOPED INTO PUTTING THEIR REGION BACK TO A MORE LIVABLE SITUATION."



WHAT WE HAVE GATHERED FROM OUR INTELLIGENCE IS THAT ALTHOUGH EVERYONE IN THAT REGION IS FRUSTRATED AND TEMPERERS ARE FLARING AND CHAOS IS BUBBLING OVER...

NOT ALL OF THE PLAYERS THINK THAT GOING AGAINST YOUR WORD IS THE RIGHT COURSE.



"BUT THEY ALL WANT TO SURVIVE."

WAIT, SAY THAT AGAIN.

We present our findings to Doom's Science Foundation.

WHY???

Because it's the smart move. The safe move.



WE ABSOLUTELY DO NOT.

YOU'RE GOING TO TELL DOOM WE'VE BEEN DOING EXACTLY WHAT WE WERE TOLD NOT TO DO?

If it saves the lives of the domain? Absolutely.

We present our findings and--

AND HE DESTROYS US LIKE THEY DID HAWKEYE.

NO!

WE HAVE ONE SHOT AT THIS AND THAT IS DOING IT UNDER THE RADAR AND--

There is no under Doom's radar.

WE'RE UNDER IT RIGHT NOW!!!



YOU GUYS REALLY SHOULD HAVE FIGURED THIS OUT BEFORE WE STARTED.









HE'S GOING TO KILL US ALL.

"LORD DOOM, THE DAMAGE TO THAT DOMAIN COULD BE SEVERE AND YOUR CONTROL OVER IT COULD BE COMPROMISED."

"IT IS STILL THE FOUNDATION'S OPINION THAT THIS DOMAIN IS A DANGER TO ITSELF AND TO THE ENTIRE KINGDOM."



I thought we were on the same page...

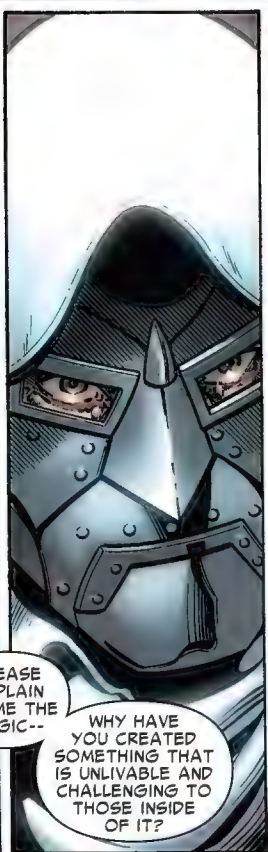
"PLEASE, UNDERSTAND I AM NOT QUESTIONING YOUR AUTHORITY."

"BUT I AM SOMEONE YOU TRUST TO EXPERIMENT AND DISCOVER..."



WOULD YOU PLEASE HONOR ME--

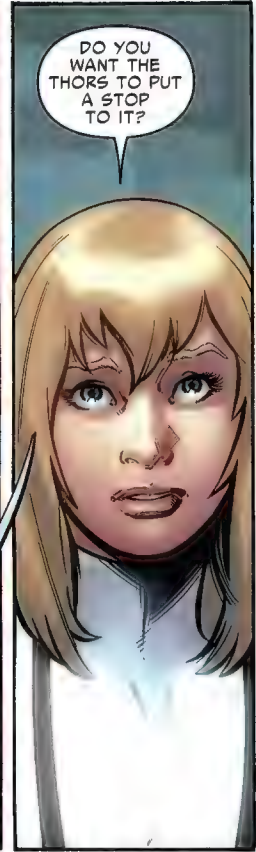
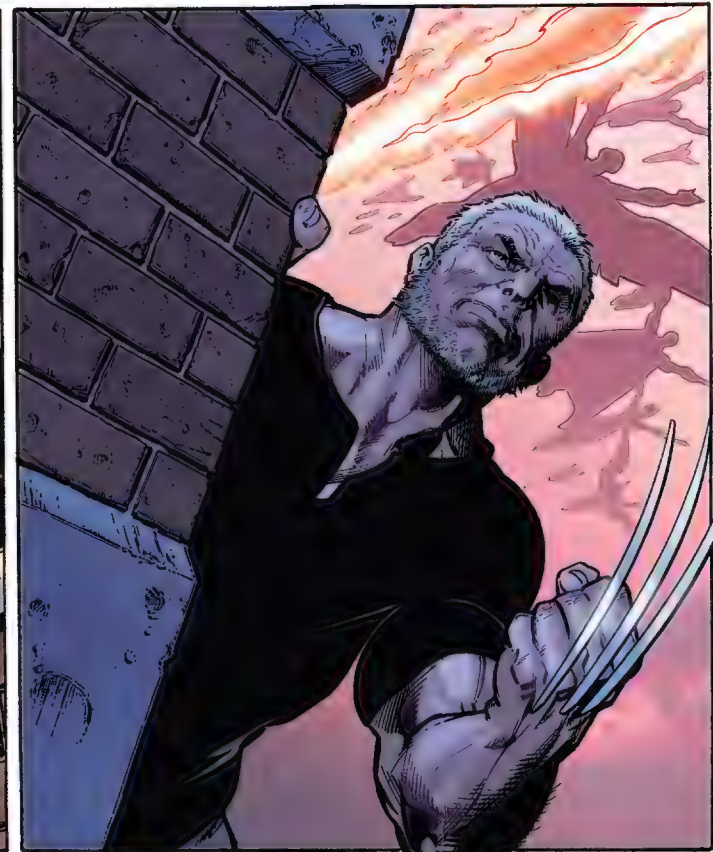
PLEASE EXPLAIN TO ME THE LOGIC--



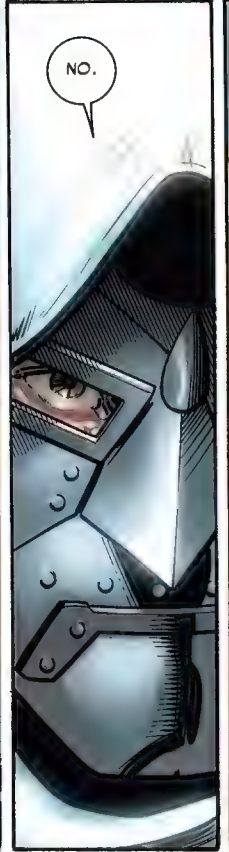
WHY HAVE YOU CREATED SOMETHING THAT IS UNLIVABLE AND CHALLENGING TO THOSE INSIDE OF IT?



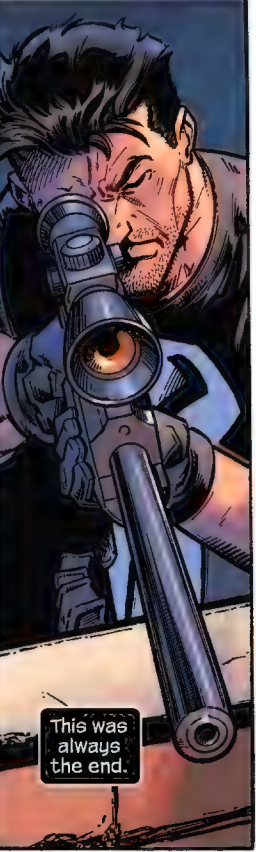
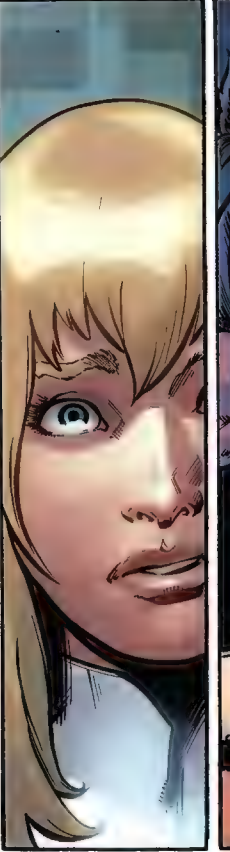
I will always live with the fact that I was not strong enough to act on this until now...



DO YOU WANT THE THORS TO PUT A STOP TO IT?



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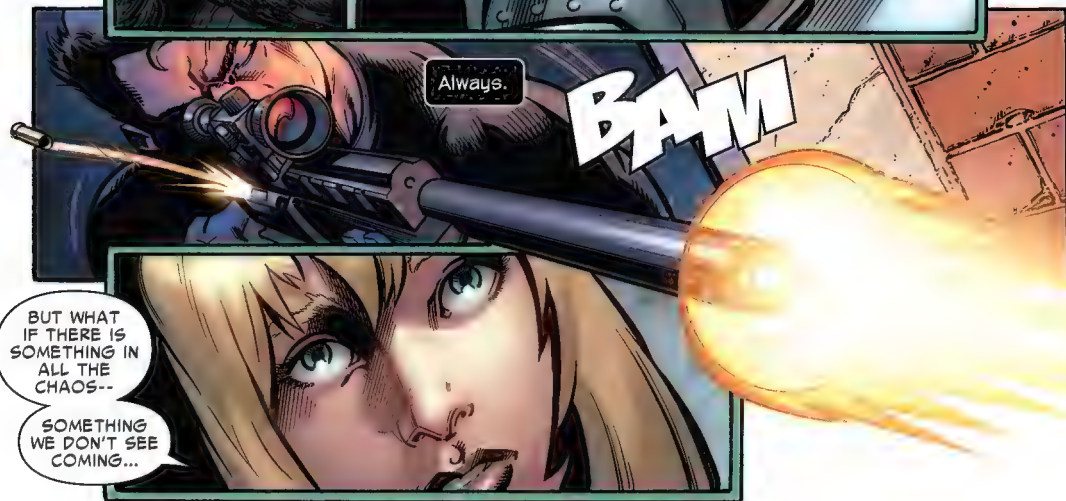
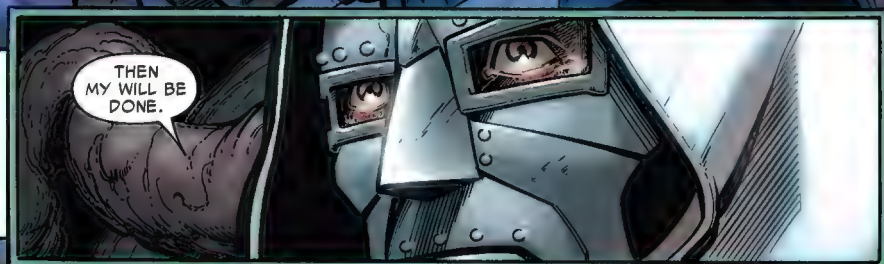
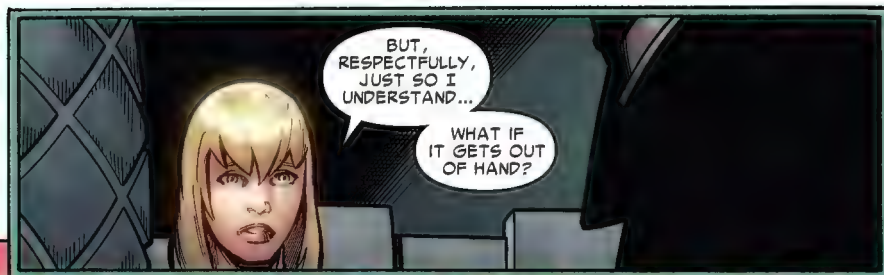


This was always the end.











"...SOMETHING  
THAT CHANGES  
EVERYTHING?"



**To Be Concluded...**



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BUT THE GAME IS ABOUT TO CHANGE, BECAUSE MILES MORALES JUST SHOWED UP...

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**STOP!**

New York City,  
Times Square  
Right Now.

Uh, I  
mean, please  
stop!

WHAT  
DID YOU  
JUST  
DO??

What the  
@#&@#s?!

Miles!  
(Uh, I mean)  
Spider-Man!

Please,  
I'm sorry,  
I had to stop  
you from fighting.

Don't  
fight!

Whatever  
this fight is  
about, please  
stop!

I need  
your  
help!!!

The  
entire world  
needs your  
help!











Miles, we haven't seen you in forever.

I thought something really bad happened.

Something really bad did happen.

(And please stop saying my real name out loud.)

(Sorry.)

What does that mean: something really bad happened?



Okay, I don't--

I don't even know where to begin...

OH MY GOD!

WHAT IS IT, JEAN?



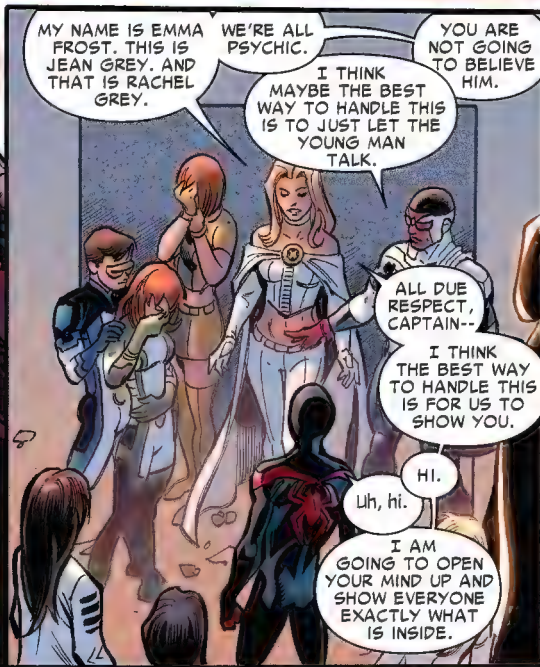
I PEEKED--I PEEKED INSIDE HIS HEAD.

OH MY GOD! ME TOO.

Don't--hey!

OH. MY. GOD.

Don't do that!



MY NAME IS EMMA FROST. THIS IS JEAN GREY. AND THAT IS RACHEL GREY.

WE'RE ALL PSYCHIC.

YOU ARE NOT GOING TO BELIEVE HIM.

I THINK MAYBE THE BEST WAY TO HANDLE THIS IS TO JUST LET THE YOUNG MAN TALK.

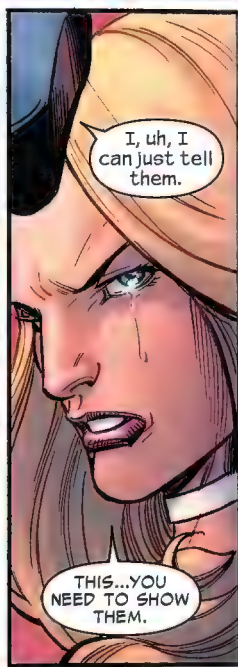
ALL DUE RESPECT, CAPTAIN--

I THINK THE BEST WAY TO HANDLE THIS IS FOR US TO SHOW YOU.

HI.

Uh, hi.

I AM GOING TO OPEN YOUR MIND UP AND SHOW EVERYONE EXACTLY WHAT IS INSIDE.



I, uh, I can just tell them.

THIS...YOU NEED TO SHOW THEM.



Will this hurt?

SWEET CHRISTMAS...

JUST... BREATHE.

NO!





"This is not the way the world is supposed to be."

"This wasn't the way the world was created."

"This--this is a patchwork quilt of madness put together by madness so madness can rule over it."

"The world you are living in now-- it was constructed using cosmic forces way beyond us."

"This isn't what New York is."

"Our dimensions were-- they were thrown on top of each other on purpose."

"We didn't do this."

"Man didn't do this."

"This was done to us."

"This is a zoo."

"A prison."





"This is a circus of--of terror  
and confusion built specifically  
to torture and punish everyone  
who has ever crossed its maker."

"And the real  
punishment is:  
ignorance."

"You would  
never know the  
world was  
ever different."

"You--you were  
all put here  
specifically  
to beat  
each other..."

"...to stomp on  
each other..."

"...to murder  
each other."

"Everyone  
here..."

"We, all of us, have  
one enemy in common  
and he finally found a way  
to get at all of us."

*3/11/11  
S. Hanna  
J.B.*



"He is not  
your god."

"He is not  
your ruler."

"He is a mad  
scientist and  
dictator."

"He is just a man who  
has found a way to  
make you believe he  
is your god."

"But he isn't."

"And he  
never was."

"Doctor Doom  
is just a man."

"A broken, angry rage monster  
who finally got the power he  
needed to remake the world in  
his own image."

"He finally found the  
power to punish his  
enemies and rule  
over everyone."

"And he created  
this part of the world  
to punish you."

"He plucked you up and  
dropped you here to  
torture each other."

"To fight a fight  
with no winners  
and losers."

"With no memory  
of a better time, and  
a better world."

"Let alone *two*  
better worlds."

"Doom is  
not god."

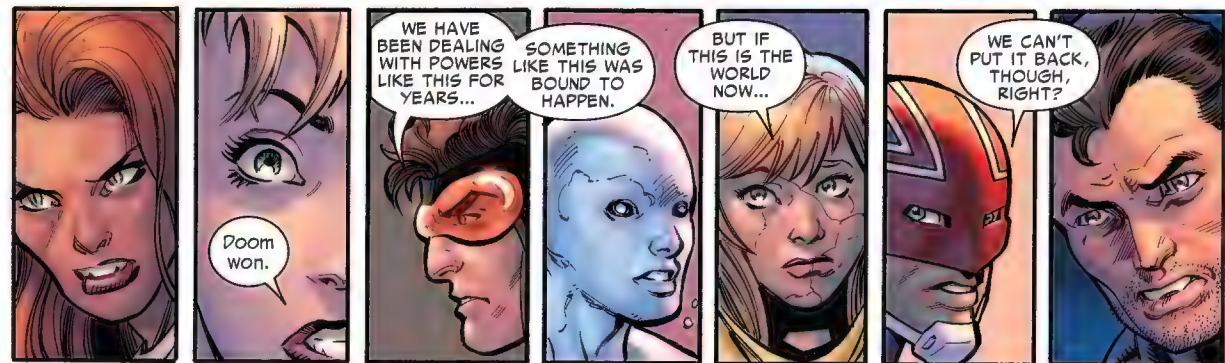
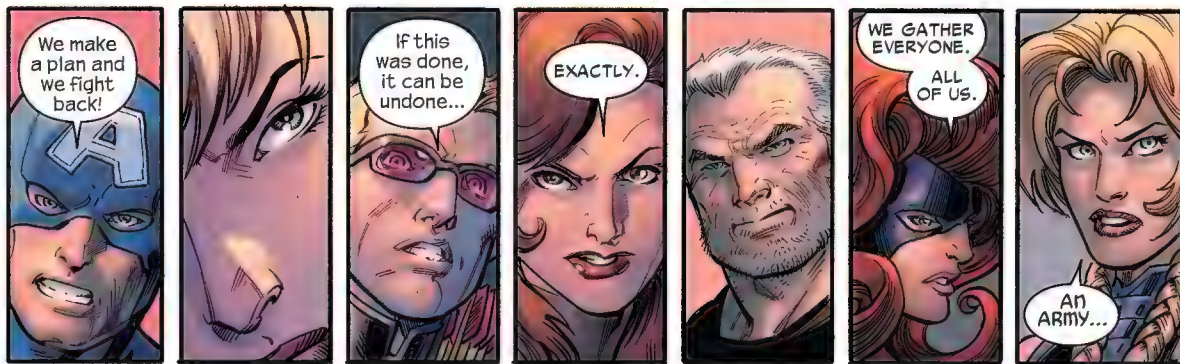
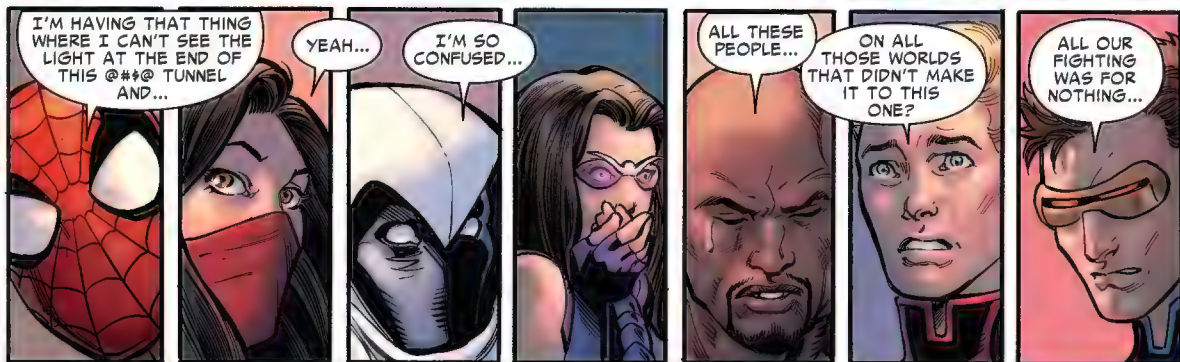
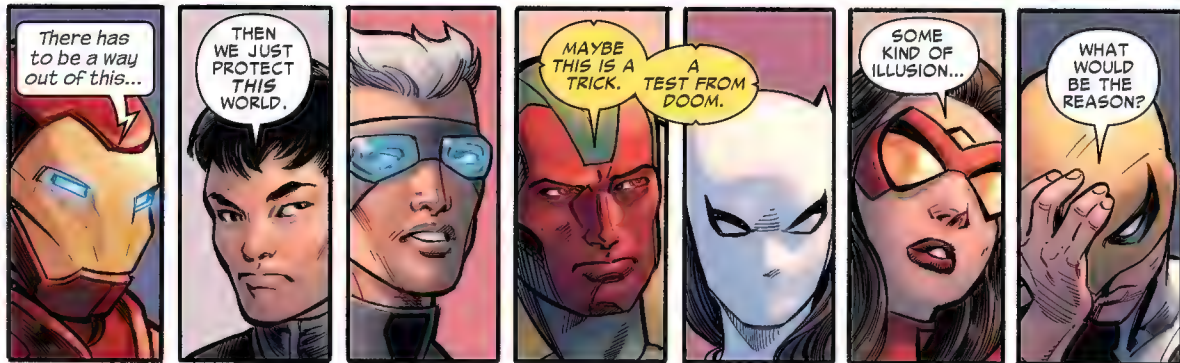
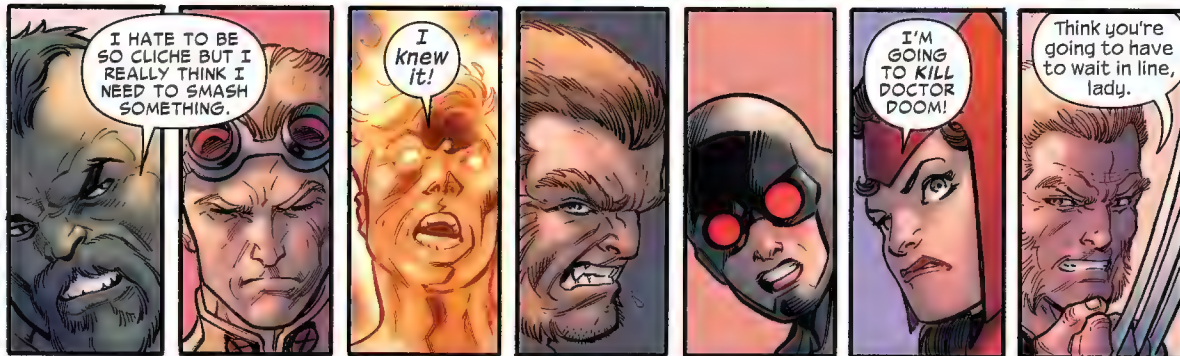
"He's just--"

"He's just  
Doctor Doom."

"And he  
won."



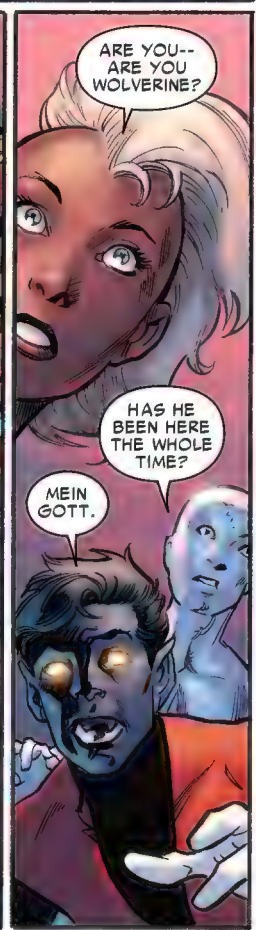
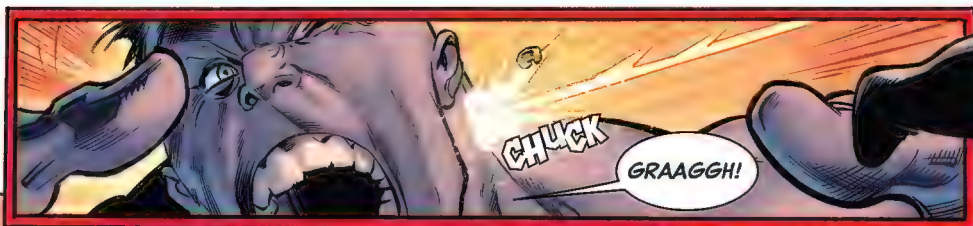




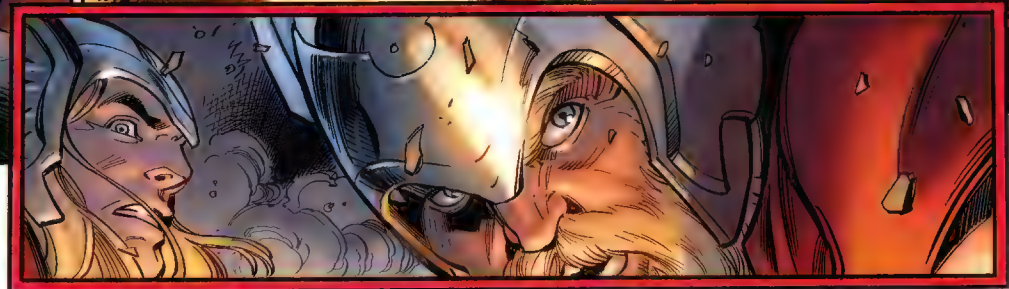








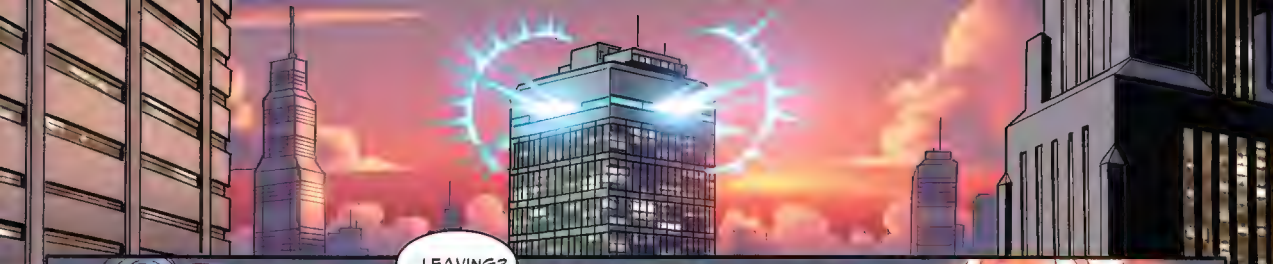










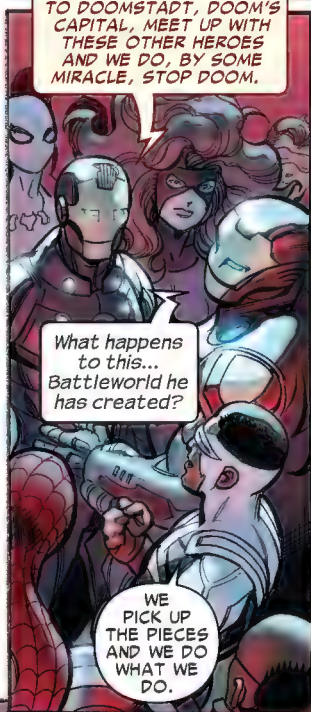


--LEAVING?

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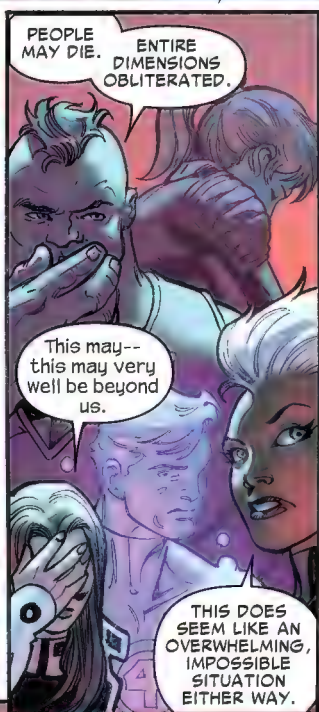
A LITTLE SAFE HOUSE OF MINE.

LET'S SAY WE TELEPORT TO DOOMSTADT, DOOM'S CAPITAL, MEET UP WITH THESE OTHER HEROES AND WE DO, BY SOME MIRACLE, STOP DOOM.



What happens to this... Battleworld he has created?

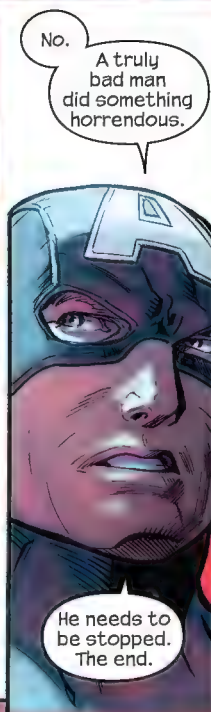
WE PICK UP THE PIECES AND WE DO WHAT WE DO.



PEOPLE MAY DIE. ENTIRE DIMENSIONS OBLITERATED.

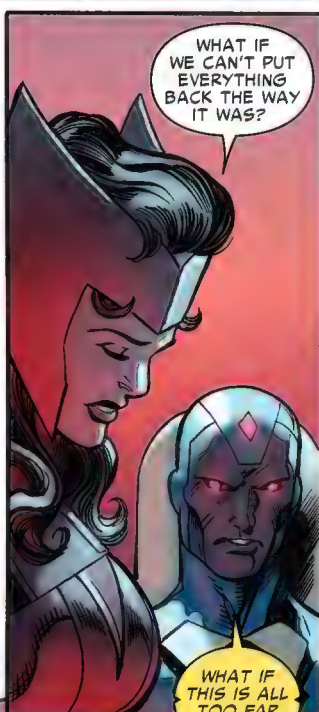
This may-- this may very well be beyond us.

THIS DOES SEEM LIKE AN OVERWHELMING, IMPOSSIBLE SITUATION EITHER WAY.



No. A truly bad man did something horrendous.

He needs to be stopped. The end.

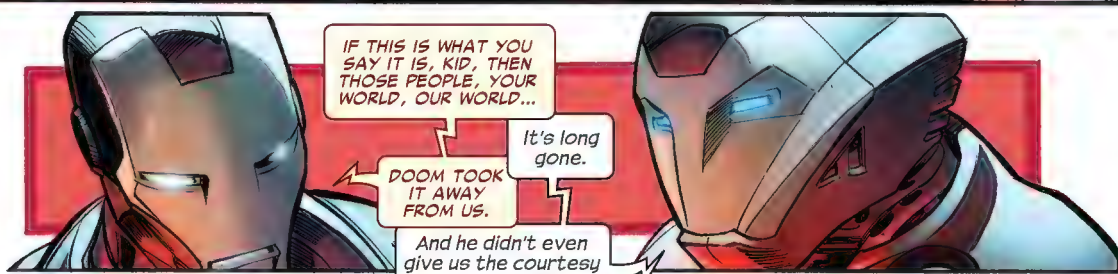
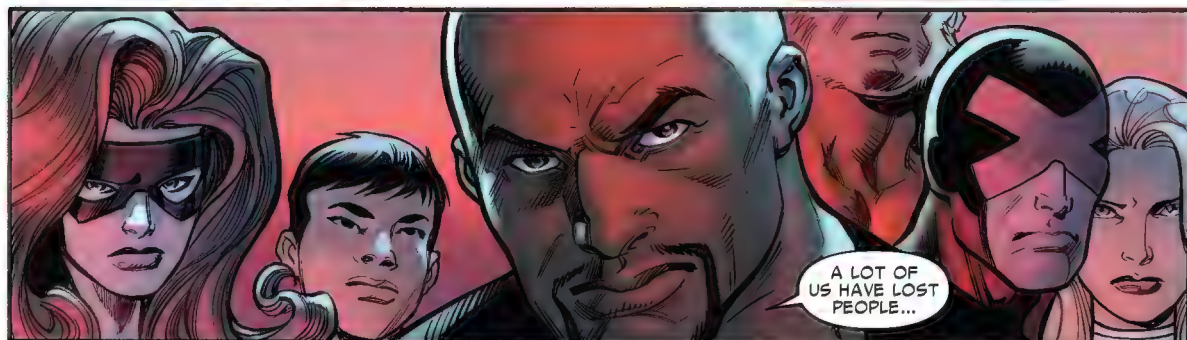


WHAT IF WE CAN'T PUT EVERYTHING BACK THE WAY IT WAS?

WHAT IF THIS IS ALL TOO FAR GONE?

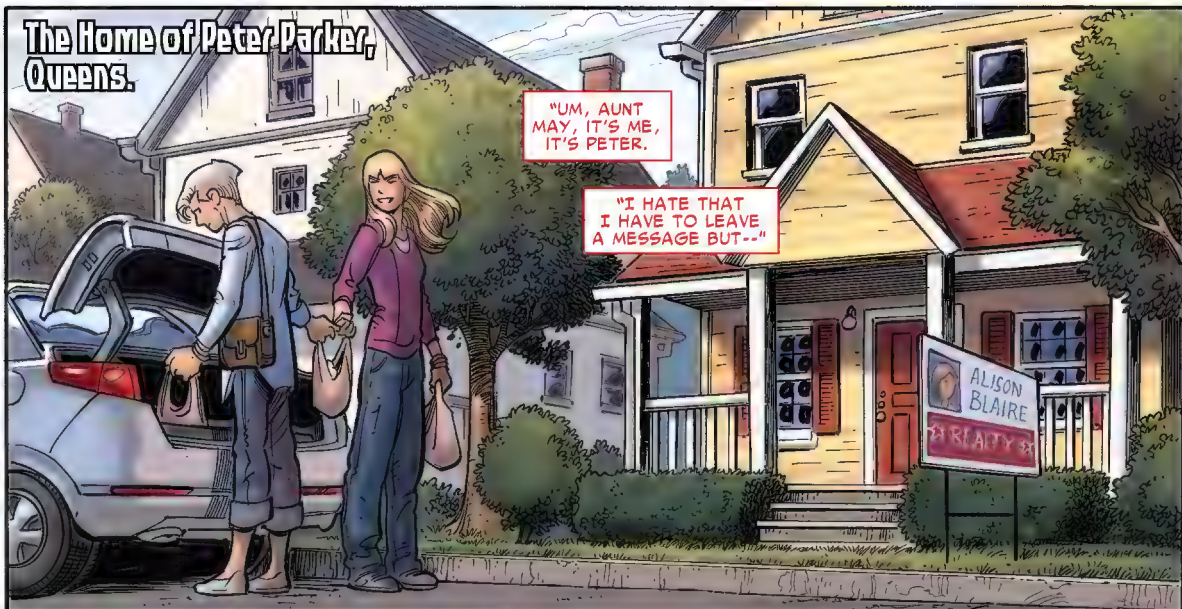








## The Home of Peter Parker, Queens.



"UM, AUNT MAY, IT'S ME, IT'S PETER."

"I HATE THAT I HAVE TO LEAVE A MESSAGE BUT..."



## The Home of Miles Morales, Brooklyn.

"Dad? It's me."

"Listen, if you get this..."

"Um, well, stuff is going down."

## Stark Tower, New York City.

"PEPPER, IT'S TONY."

"WOW, YOU REALLY NEED TO PICK UP."

"I PROMISE WHATEVER YOU ARE DOING IS NOT AS IMPORTANT AS WHAT I HAVE TO TELL YOU."





"I THINK THIS IS  
THE END OF THE  
ROAD FOR US."

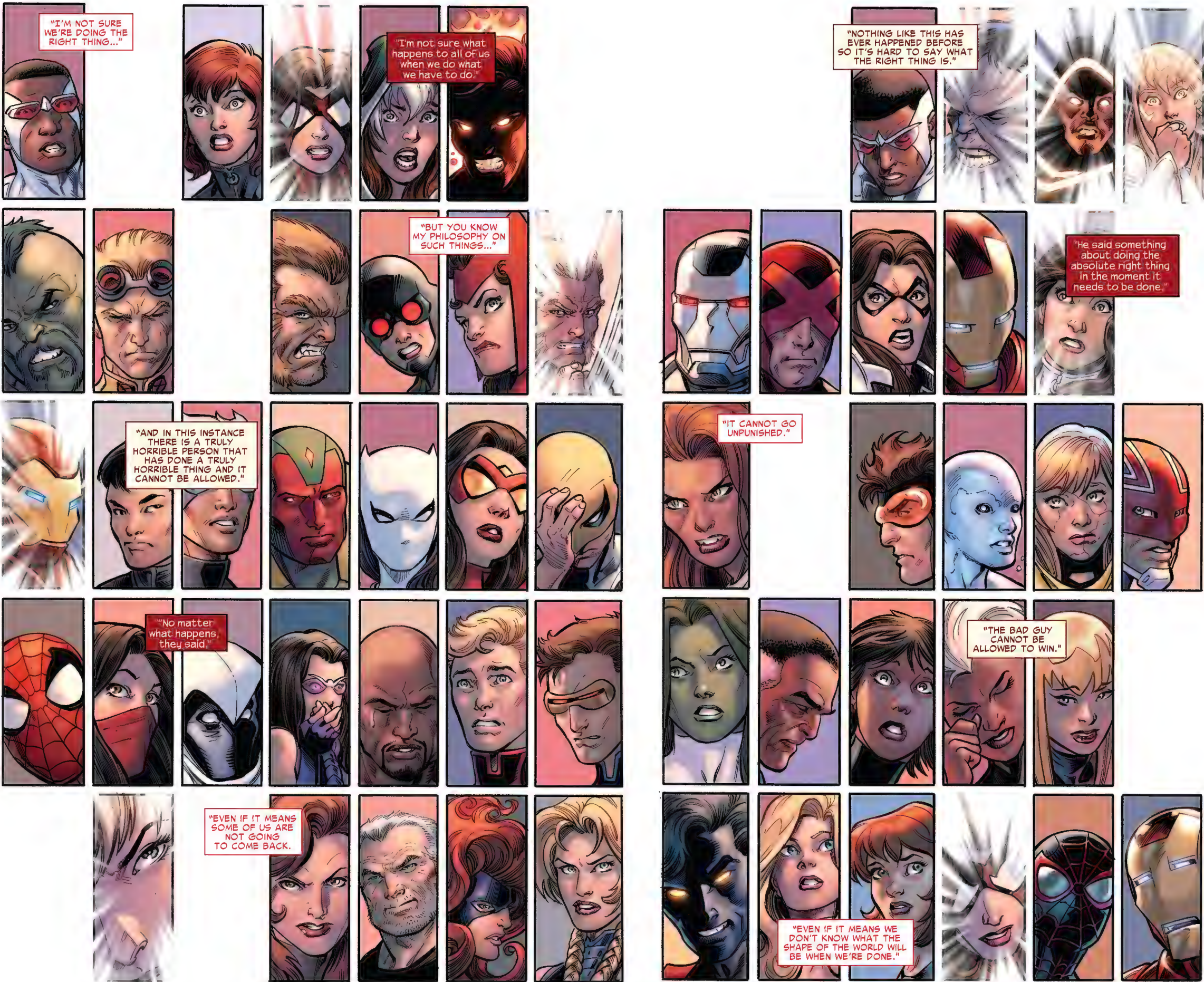
"One way or  
another..."

"WE HAVE  
TO MAKE  
THIS RIGHT."

"SO I JUST  
WANTED TO  
TELL YOU."

"I love you."





"I'M NOT SURE WE'RE DOING THE RIGHT THING..."

"I'm not sure what happens to all of us when we do what we have to do."

"NOTHING LIKE THIS HAS EVER HAPPENED BEFORE SO IT'S HARD TO SAY WHAT THE RIGHT THING IS."

"BUT YOU KNOW MY PHILOSOPHY ON SUCH THINGS..."

"He said something about doing the absolute right thing in the moment it needs to be done."

"AND IN THIS INSTANCE THERE IS A TRULY HORRIBLE PERSON THAT HAS DONE A TRULY HORRIBLE THING AND IT CANNOT BE ALLOWED."

"IT CANNOT GO UNPUNISHED."

"No matter what happens, they said."

"THE BAD GUY CANNOT BE ALLOWED TO WIN."

"EVEN IF IT MEANS SOME OF US ARE NOT GOING TO COME BACK."

"EVEN IF IT MEANS WE DON'T KNOW WHAT THE SHAPE OF THE WORLD WILL BE WHEN WE'RE DONE."





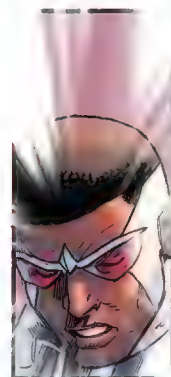
"They all said we fight the bad guy for playing god but, dad, it's just kind of feels like that means--"



"--WE'RE PLAYING GOD."



"BUT DOOM PUT US IN THIS POSITION."



"HE MADE HIS BED."

"OH GOD, WHAT IF WE'RE WRONG?"



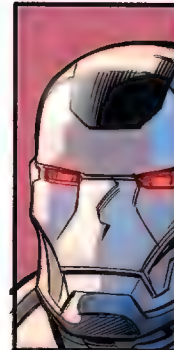
"What if we win and then there's nothing left?"



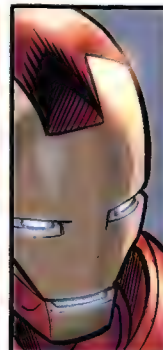
"WHAT IF THIS IS WHAT WAS SUPPOSED TO HAPPEN AND NOW WE'RE JUST GETTING IN THE WAY??!"



"THAT THE SMARTEST GUY GETS THE UNIVERSE TO DO WITH AS HE PLEASES AND WE'RE JUST MAKING A MESS OF NATURAL SELECTION?"



"AND I ASKED THEM, IF THIS IS THE WAY THE WORLD IS SUPPOSED TO BE THEN WHY ARE WE IN A POSITION TO FIGHT BACK?"

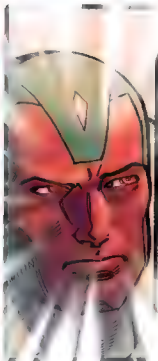


"I mean, I get it. But I'm scared, Dad."

"I'M SCARED I'M NEVER GOING TO SEE YOU AGAIN. OR ANYONE AGAIN."



"NOW I'M SCARED YOU'RE NEVER GOING TO GET THIS MESSAGE BECAUSE YOU NEVER PICKED UP THE PHONE!"



"I love you, Dad."



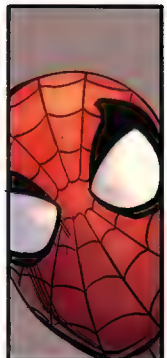
"I'LL NEVER BE ABLE TO THANK YOU ENOUGH FOR ALL YOU'VE DONE FOR ME."



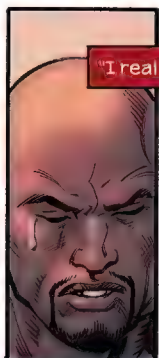
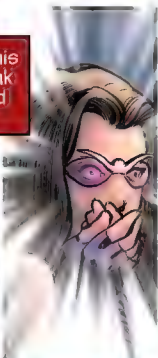
"FOR ALL THE SACRIFICES YOU'VE MADE TO RAISE ME."



"I KNOW I'M A HOT-MESS NIGHTMARE OF A HUMAN BEING BUT I ALWAYS THOUGHT: 'IF THIS WOMAN LIKES ME I CAN'T BE ALL THAT BAD.'"



"I'm going to fight this because, well, I think it's what Mom would have wanted."



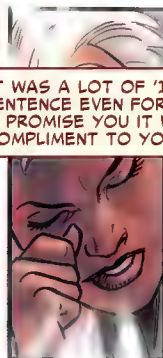
"I really do."



"IT ALWAYS COMES BACK DOWN TO UNCLE BEN THOUGH--"



"THAT WAS A LOT OF 'I' IN ONE SENTENCE EVEN FOR ME, BUT I PROMISE YOU IT WAS A COMPLIMENT TO YOU."

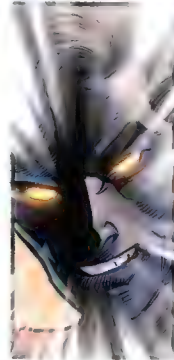


"WITH GREAT POWER THERE MUST ALSO COME GREAT RESPONSIBILITY."

"YOU'RE THE FINEST PERSON I HAVE EVER MET AND YOUR OPINION HAS MEANT EVERYTHING TO ME."



"Great power."



"THIS IS WHAT HAPPENS WHEN GREAT POWER IS ABUSED."



"Great responsibility..."







"Man, I  
hope we're  
right..."











MILES?

MILES?

TIRED...

ABSOLUTELY NOT.

YOU ARE ABSOLUTELY NOT GOING TO LIE IN BED ALL DAY.

I DON'T CARE IF IT'S SATURDAY.

LIFE IS A GIFT AND YOU ARE NOT WASTING THE DAY.

MOM??

UP. OUT.

LET'S GO.



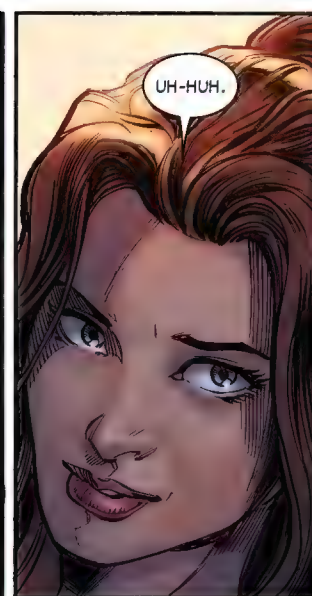
MOM!



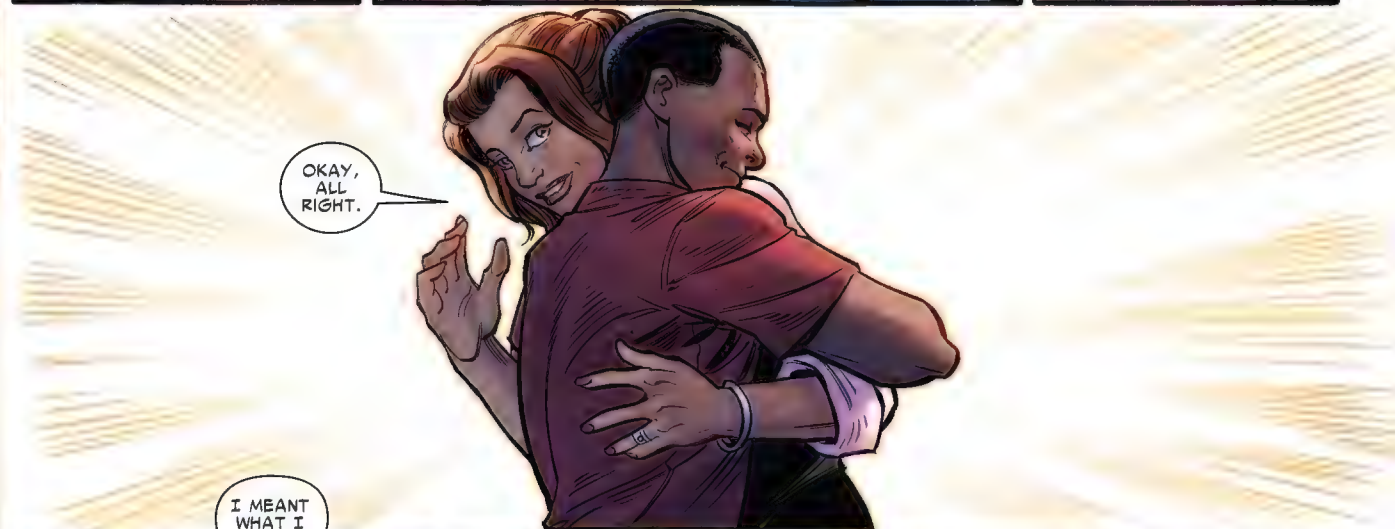
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NOTHING.

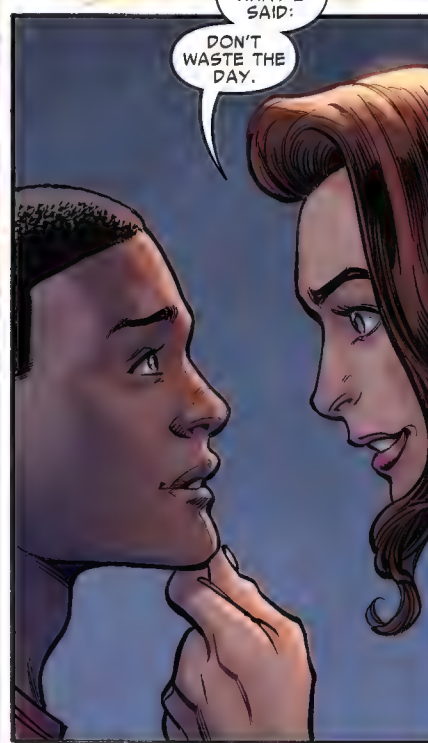
I-I DON'T KNOW.



UH-HUH.



OKAY, ALL RIGHT.



I MEANT WHAT I SAID:

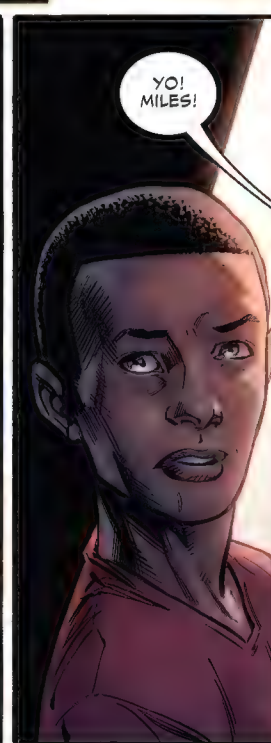
DON'T WASTE THE DAY.



I'M GOING TO GO DO MY ERRANDS AND MEET UP WITH YOUR FATHER.

TEXT ME LATER.

MILES!



YO! MILES!

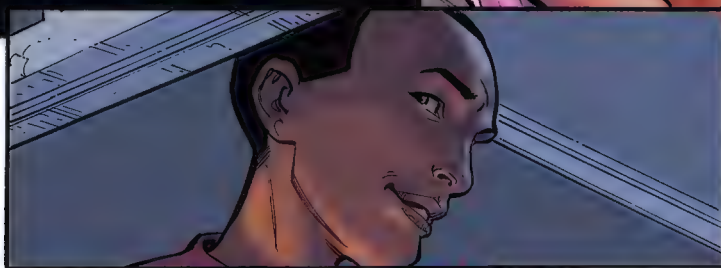


MILES!

STOP YELLING!

I'M UP!









DAMN  
RIGHT.

Not Even Close To...  
**THE END!**

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